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General Crude, Wise Chapel In Championship Finals

General Crude In Lead 2-1 for Seven-Game Tilt

Play-Off May Go Through Sunday

General Crude softball team held a two to one lead following Wednesday night's game in the seven-game series being played off this week at City Park to determine the championship of the VFW-sponsored Hamlin Softball League. The winner must take four out of seven games to be declared champion. If necessary to play the seventh game, it will be unrelaxed at the City Park Sunday afternoon.

General Crude defeated Wise Chapel 20 to 1 Wednesday night. Sylvester is leading Hamlin VFW in the consolation bracket, having dropped five consecutive games.

First place team wins \$250, second place, \$150, and the winner of the consolation bracket receives \$100.

General Crude and Wise Chapel won their way into the top bracket last week defeating Sylvester and VFW.

Monday night of this week General Crude defeated Wise Chapel 3 to 0 and Sylvester took VFW 10-9. On Tuesday night the Oilers bowed to Wise Chapel 3 to 1 and Sylvester picked VFW 12 to 9 in eight innings.

Large crowds have been attending the playoff games.

American Legion Officers Installed At Stamford Meet

New officers of the American Legion Keiffer-Patterson Post were installed in a joint meeting of the Hamlin, Anson and Stamford posts Monday night with 5th Division Commander J. R. Gleaton as installing officer. The meeting was held at Stamford.

Local officers installed were: Joe L. Culbertson, commander; A. Hudson, first vice commander; Fred C. Smith, second vice commander; Atwood K. Robinson, third vice commander; Edgar Duncan, adjutant and finance officer; Andrew B. Roland, chaplain; Ira Clements, historian; Fred B. Moore Jr., service officer; J. C. Turner, child welfare officer and Van Huling, sergeant-at-arms.

The post meets each first and third Monday nights of each month and all members are invited to be present at the next regular meeting.

Phosphate to Be Received by Jones County AAA

At least four, and possibly five car-loads of phosphate will be delivered to Jones County farmers during the months of August and September. The phosphate may be obtained at a cost of \$10 per ton to the farmer, and must be applied to winter legume seed or permanent pastureland.

Murel K. Beaver, acting administrative officer of the Jones County AAA, is requesting that any farmer interested in obtaining this phosphate contact the AAA office in Anson in the very near future and make application, in order that they may determine the amount of phosphate needed by this county.

Noodle and Avoca 4-H Boys Going To State Roundup

Willie Lee Spurgin, member of the Noodle Senior 4-H Club, and Mack Allison, member of the Avoca 4-H Club, have been selected by the Jones County 4-H Club Committee to represent Jones County in the State 4-H Club Roundup at Texas A. & M. College on September 4 to 6. These boys were selected on the merit of their 4-H Club demonstrations, 4-H Club records and their general interest in 4-H Club work. The boys will be accompanied to Texas A. & M. College by County Agricultural Agent H. C. Stanley.

Complete Schedule For Registration At School Given

Plans are being completed for the opening session of the Hamlin Schools, according to Superintendent I. R. Huchingson.

Registration of high school students for the 1947-1948 term of school will begin on September 8 and will proceed according to the following schedule:

Seniors, those with 10½ units of credit and above will register from 9:00 to 12:00 a. m. on Monday, September 8.

Juniors, those students with from seven to 10½ units of credit, will register between the hours of 1:00 to 4:00 p. m. on Monday afternoon.

Sophomores, students with from three to seven units of credit will register from 9:00 to 10:30 a. m. on Tuesday, September 9.

Freshmen, students with less than three units of credit, will report at the high school a 10:30 a. m. on Tuesday for registration.

All grade pupils will report to the new buildings on Wednesday morning, September 10, for regular registration. High school students will report to the high school for a half day schedule on Wednesday. There will be no further work on Wednesday, but a full schedule of work will begin for all pupils on Thursday.

There will be no bus service until Wednesday and high school students who are unable to come in for registration according to the above schedule will be given an opportunity to register on Thursday and should not come on Wednesday. However, they are advised to come according to schedule if possible. The Hamlin Schools will operate eight buses this year and the routes are being worked out to give convenient service as possible. A further statement as to the bus service will appear in next week's issue of The Herald.

The grades four through eight will report to the Elementary Building and grades one through three will report to the Primary Building. These buildings are being made ready for occupancy by the opening of the new school term.

The Hamlin Schools will only operate one of its Rural Elementary Schools. Two grades, the first and the second will be taught at the Celotex School. This school is being operated by reason of the fact that there are enough pupils in these two grades living at Celotex to maintain one teacher without the expense of the pupils.

A complete list of teaching assignments will appear in the next weeks Herald. The Hamlin School faculty will be composed of 34 white teachers and four colored teachers for the 1947-1948 term.

The increase in the scholastic enrollment of the school will necessitate three sections of most classes.

Students who attended a school outside Hamlin system of schools last year are requested to write to their school last attended for a transcript of their credits to be mailed to the principal. This will greatly aid in properly enrolling such students.

Two Local Men To Graduate From ACC Friday Night

Largest summer classes in history of Abilene Christian College, Abilene, will graduate on the night of August 29. Fifty-three members of the class will receive their diplomas from Don H. Morris, president, on that date.

This large number together with the 89 spring graduates gives a grand total of 142 graduates for one complete year, and another record.

Judge Owen Thomas of the 104th District Court in Abilene will deliver the graduation address.

Among those graduating are: Walter R. Cybert, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Cybert, who is receiving his B. S. with a major in Business Administration and Milton B. Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fletcher Jr., who is receiving his B. S. with a major in business administration. Both are from Hamlin.

Street Numbering Main Project Set By Hamlin Lions

Correct numbering of all houses in Hamlin will be one of the major projects sponsored by the Hamlin Lions Club this year, directors have decided, it was announced at the Tuesday noon meeting of the club. There is some agitation for renaming of streets, using numbers and letters of the alphabet. After this matter is decided, proper numbers will be assigned to every house in town.

Not only will house numbering aid in giving proper directions to townspeople as well as strangers, but will be one step nearer city mail delivery, which is being advocated by some Hamlin people.

Eyesight conservation will continue to be high on the club's program, as this is a perpetual problem.

All Lions who failed to attend the Anson-Hamlin Lions softball game last Thursday night were fined and will face trial before a special jury next Tuesday. Hamlin won 15 to 12, or so it was reported, and the two clubs will play another game to determine the champion.

104th District Court to Open Monday, Sept. 1

Fall term of 104th District Court of Jones County is scheduled to open Monday, September 1 at 9:30 o'clock with Judge Owen Thomas on the bench, according to Leon Thurman, district clerk.

The grand jury has been notified this week and will convene on the opening day of court.

Although there is a heavy docket of civil suits that are jury cases, the divorce docket is lighter than usual. One murder case is on the docket: Frank Brown, negro of Stamford, who is charged with the murder of Hattie (Andy) McGee April 25. Brown is at present at liberty, having made his \$4,000 bond.

J. B. Eakin Named New Bookkeeper For Oil Mill Here

J. B. Eakin has been named new bookkeeper at the Midwest Cooperative Oil Mill, succeeding J. T. Hart, who has moved to Lubbock. Mr. Eakin was formerly city secretary and was in the real estate business here until recently. He is well known in Jones County.

Mrs. Irene Opsahl and children, Jimmy and Blix of Coleman are the guests in the home of her sister, Mrs. Art Carmichael and family this week.

SERENADED WITH "DEEP IN THE HEART OF TEXAS"

From Canal-Bound Holland, to France and Alps Hamlin Baptists Viewing Europe's Worst and Best

Hotel Suisse Montreux, Switzerland August 17, 1947

Dear Friends, This tour is progressing at such a speed that we hardly know which country we are in much of the time.

I believe I last wrote in Copenhagen. We flew from there to Amsterdam on the Danish Airlines and we had a very pleasant flight. Upon departure, we were served tea, coffee and the most delicious chocolate candy bar you have ever tasted. We haven't seen any chocolate since we left the States. It was interesting to see from the air same country we saw from the train and boat.

Amsterdam is a unique city of 800,000 people and scores of miles of canals. The weather was rainy most of the time we were there but we were able to visit the RYKS Museum where we saw etchings and paintings by Rembrandt. "The Night Watch" we found interesting and the guide explained it in much detail. We took a trip to the Isle of Marken but were unable to look around much because of a Dutch "Northern". We visited a fishing village and saw people wearing modern shoes sitting in tea shops and even standing on the street eating smoked eels. We also took a bus tour of the city of Amsterdam, as well as a canal tour and saw many signs of the recent war. We visited an ancient Jewish Synagogue where 5,000 used to worship, now 400 come there. The Nazis took 85,000 Jews from that city, took

them to Poland and killed them all in gas chambers. After a lengthy conversation with our guide he told us he was a Jew who had been released from a concentration camp. He lost 150 relatives in the gas chamber.

We went by train to Brussels, where we stayed one night. You can imagine our surprise the next morning when we saw a car parked in front of our hotel with a Wichita Falls, Texas license on it. We visited the Wiertz Museum, a lace shop where we saw lace being made by hand; the Town Hall, where we saw civil marriages being purchased by a woman alderman; the arch where the defeated Nazis marched out and our victorious boys marched in.

We stayed a day and a night in the city of Luxembourg and it really is a charming place. It is built in a valley and on two hills, which are connected by an ancient stone bridge. The two hills are honeycombed with 17 miles of passage ways and secret tunnels chiseled out of stone, some dating back to the 1500's. We drove three miles out of the city to a place called Hamun where there is a United States Military Cemetery, where 8,430 of our American soldiers are buried. Many of them were killed in the Battle of the Bulge. It is also the burial place of General Patton. The little valley surrounded by evergreens was given to the United States government by some land owners and it is beautifully kept. We had a short

Ten Bales Cotton Ginned in Area During the Week

Cotton picking is getting off to a good start in this area with 10 bales reported ginned during the first week up to Wednesday morning. Most ginners and producers are confident of a much better crop than last year when only 2,000 bales were ginned locally. Only light traces of rain have fallen in this area since last week.

Hamlin Farmer's Co-Operative Gin association led the field with a total of seven bales ginned. Producers Gin reported two bales and the Nelinda Farmer's Co-Operative Gin processed the first bale Wednesday morning. These and all other areas were reported standing by in readiness for the rush expected in a few weeks.

Hamlin business houses contributed a premium of approximately \$70 in cash and premium for Boyd Lakey, who ginned the first bale of 1947 cotton here last week.

Hamlin's second bale of cotton and the first for Producer's Gin was brought in last Wednesday afternoon and was grown by J. C. Rainwater, who lives southeast of here near Anson. The bale weighed 505 pounds and brought 25 cents. He had 850 pounds of seed which sold at \$75. per ton.

An unusual thing about Hamlin's first bale was that both weighed over 500 pounds of lint—most first bales weighing just above 400.

Albert Maberry Heads New Sylvester American Legion

A new American Legion post was organized at Sylvester Thursday night in a meeting held at the school auditorium. Albert Maberry, World War II veteran, was elected as the post's first commander.

From out of town, P. C. Stacey, of Stephenville, commander of district 17; J. R. Gleaton, Stamford, commander, District 5; Johnny Pope, Abilene, commander Post 17; A. L. Stell, Anson, post commander District 17; Louie Jordan, Abilene adjutant 11th and 12th districts; met with the group and assisted in the organization.

Other officers are E. S. (Boots) Free, sergeant-at-arms; Thompson (McCauley), chaplain; Melvin Thompson, first vice commander; Jim Beck, second vice commander; Earl Holcomb, third vice commander; Raymond Kiser, historian; Louie Lawlis, finance officer; C. H. Clark service officer; and Stanley Jackson, adjutant.

An auxiliary will be organized the second Thursday night in September.

Construction Work On Local Projects Going Ahead As New Business Buildings Start

Pied Pipers Start Training Monday For Places on 1947 Football Team

Piper Athletes Honored by Lions At Melon Feed

Members of last fall's 1946 Pied Piper football team and of the District 13-A championship baseball team were honored guests of the Hamlin Lions Club at a watermelon feast in City Park Tuesday night. An annual affair, this year's party was much later than usual. About 40 men and boys attended the party.

The boys expressed their appreciation for the affair and their spokesman, Star Athlete Brad Rowland Jr., presented Coach L. B. (Red) Howard with a matched fountain pen and pencil set.

Iron Lung Fund Goes Over Top First Two Days

Contributions for the purchase of an iron lung by the Hamlin Fire Department amounted to \$1,499.21 last Friday and Saturday in the drive conducted with the portable machine on display at the City Electric & Plumbing Company.

This amount exceeds the actual cost since the machine costs only \$1,252.25, but the extra money is being put in a special fund which may be used to buy an incubator for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital after the type needed is determined.

Several contributions have also been received this week and will still be accepted and placed in this special fund.

Fire Chief Carl Young and his firemen are very well pleased with the fine response by the citizens of this community to this worthy cause.

The iron lung will be placed at the new hospital, when it opens, and will be available to everyone for use.

Warning football fans that they needn't expect a world-better football team this fall, Coach L. B. (Red) Howard announced this week that grid workouts for berths on the 1947 Pied Piper football team would get underway in earnest next Monday morning. Workouts will be conducted twice daily all of next week and be cut to one a day when registration starts on September 8.

Coach Howard is asking all boys expecting to join the squad to be on hand Saturday morning as he will start issuing equipment at 9:00 o'clock. He expects a squad of from 30 or 40 boys to report. His new assistant coach, Joe King, will be on hand to meet the boys and lend a hand.

At least five lettermen will report and possibly six. Around them Coach Howard expects to build his team. Lettermen returning are Louis Criswell and Seth Adams, guards, Billy Edward Franks, end Billy Jack Owens and Sammy Butler, backs. Ray McCurley, a tackle, is working in the northern wheat harvest and it is not known whether he will report or not. The rest of the squad will be made up of boys who worked in spring training and some newcomers.

The Howardmen will have three weeks to round into shape before tackling their first non-conference opponent, the Rotan Yellowhammers at Rotan on Friday, September 19. First three games are non-conference tilts.

Coach Melvin Carlton will again be in charge of the Mighty Mice—the Pied Pipers of Hamlin for the future.

The 1947 schedule of 10 games, four of which will be played on Piper Field was released this week by the school officials:

September 19—Rotan, there.
September 26—Merkel, here.
October 3—Spur, here.
October 10—Throckmorton, there.
October 17—Stamford, here.*
October 24—Colorado City, there.
October 31—Munday, here.*
November 7—Albany, there.*
November 14—Anson, there.*
November 21—Haskell, there.*
(* Denotes conference games.)

"Dub" Jackson To Preach Sunday At Baptist Church

Rev. "Dub" Jackson of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, will preach both at the morning and evening services at the First Baptist Church Sunday.

Lester Morton will sing a special number at the morning service.

Dr. Moore, Bible teacher at H-SU, was guest speaker at the monthly officers and teachers meeting Wednesday night and also at the regular service that followed.

Rev. Littleton, district missionary and former pastor here, will preach at the local church Sunday, August 7.

The pastor, Rev. John H. Osteen, plans to resume his duties here around September 10, arriving in New York this Friday, August 29. He will be in the pulpit September 14 and hopes to be here for weekly prayer service September 10.

Hershel B. Prindle Gets M. S. Degree

Hershel Beebe Prindle of Hamlin received his master of science degree in the summer commencement exercises at North Texas State College Tuesday night, August 26.

A total of 433 degrees were awarded in the ceremonies by Dr. W. J. McConnell, president of NTSC. Of the total, 305 were bachelor's degrees and 127, an all-time high, were master's degrees.

Miss Genelle Dean is moving to Dallas to reside with her brothers.

Hamlin people are witnessing considerable construction work this summer, with work on most projects showing considerable progress despite the summer heat and material shortages.

Newest major construction project to be announced got underway Monday morning when workmen started leveling ground and digging foundations for a new building on the lots recently purchased by the Carmichael Brothers, between Stewart Furniture and Wade Implement Company. Ward Harris, who has just completed a building to house his own business north of McCoy Brothers Service Station, is doing the work. The building, which will be of hollow tile and stucco construction, will be 75 feet deep and be divided in three separate store buildings 25 feet wide. When completed, it will improve greatly the appearance of Central Avenue.

Banner Creameries has nearly finished work on the old City Hall building and is now remodeling the interior of the city office and preparing the next door space for The Style Mart, a new locally-owned firm to open here soon. This building is faced with white stucco, and trimmed with black sheet marble. This, together with glass brick and new plate glass, will make the buildings one of the city's most modernistic. Plans call for glass doors.

Workmen are rapidly ending their work at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital and at both the Primary and Elementary School buildings. The school buildings, constructed of used brick, will be covered with white stucco later.

Elsewhere in the business district the Carmichael building, formerly occupied by a feed store, is being remodeled for occupancy by a cleaning plant.

On the Stamford highway, workmen were busy on the new building to be occupied by Wade Implement Company, located across the street from Jay Implement Company. Ben Wilcox has nearly completed his building now occupied by his grocery and has apartments upstairs. Concrete floor has been laid and offices completed at the Teague building, just east of Irwin Motor Company is now being occupied by Carl Murrell Chevrolet Company. A new show room will be built across the front of the building and side entrances will be opened.

The West Texas Utilities Company reports that curing and processing rooms for the locker plant are nearly completed and that they hope to have several hundred more lockers installed soon.

Fred B. Moore Jr., stated this week that contractors planned to start the construction of his modern, new grain elevator by October 1. Modern in every respect, the huge plant will tower 153 feet into the air and be the largest of its type between Fort Worth and Lubbock.

A number of new residences are being built and others are just started at various points over the town.

In a deal revealed this week, Sam Wilcox sold the property he now occupies at Central and Fifth Street, white also includes the Sinclair Station, to Charles and Harry Gardner. Wilcox plans to locate on the Stamford highway, it was said.

Other deals involving local business property have also been rumored this past week, but parties involved are not making any announcements at this time.

Methodist Pastor Announces Topics For Next Sunday

Dr. Will C. House, pastor of the First Methodist Church, will preach Sunday morning on the subject, "Life's Dominant Forces."

On Sunday evening, he will speak on the subject, "The One Way Road." You are extended an invitation to attend either or both services.

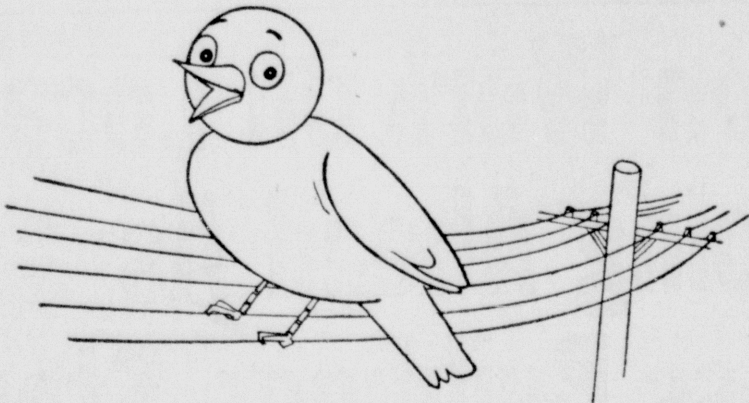
Mrs. Dora Agnew is moving to Anson to make her home with her daughter, Bertie Agnew, who will teach in the Anson school system this year.

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Texas Petroleum Industry Provides Living for One Person Out of Eight

Jones and Fisher County folks living among countless oil wells will be interested to learn that one out of every eight Texans gets his living out of the petroleum industry which provides \$1,500,000,000, or 23 per cent of the state's income, a survey by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association revealed this week.

The industry's 48-page annual report, "Texas Oil and Gas, 1947", a source book of official figures on the petroleum activity of the state, emphasizes the scope of oil and gas production, refining, and marketing and its effect on the economy of Texas.

Sitting atop 11,500,000,000 barrels of crude oil in underground formations (55.8 per cent of the nation's known reserves), Texas in 1946, produced more than 75,000,000 barrels which was more than the combined output from four leading foreign producing countries—Venezuela, Russia, Iran and Saudi Arabia.

The oil and gas industry spent \$1,524,104,000 in Texas in 1946, the Association report showed. Out of each dollar spent 31.5 cents went for wages and salaries, 16.3 cents for leases and royalties, which added together meant that Texas workers farmers, ranchers and other land owners received nearly half of each dollar spent. Most of the other part of each dollar spent remained in the state for taxes, and as payment for drilling, prospecting, supplies, and miscellaneous costs, such as interest to Texas banks.

"Furnishing 23 per cent of the total Texas income, petroleum might properly be expected to pay an equal share of governmental income. Actually, this one industry now pays 53 per cent of all state property and industries and taxpayers combined pay only 47 per cent," the publication stated.

State and local tax records summarized in the publication showed that 10.2 cents in taxes were paid on each barrel of oil produced, exclusive of any federal levies. Gasoline sales taxes, which the industry collects for the state, are not included in this tabulation.

Among the finding in various statistical studies included in "Texas Oil and Gas" were: Texas oil men drill deeper each year for new oil pools: 1946's average wildcat discovery well was 6,083 feet deep.

Oil men put down 7,804 new holes in proven and wildcat territories. Of the 1,591 exploratory wells drilled in 1946, 281 made producers. That's 17.66 per cent.

Drilling costs last year had climbed to an average of \$77,400 per exploratory test—almost two and one-half times the cost 10 years ago.

New wells increased underground oil reserves by an estimated 1,500,000,000 barrels in 1946. Ninety-two per cent came from extensions and revisions of known fields; eight per cent came from new discoveries.

Texas has 3,000 of the nation's 13,475 companies engaged in oil production.

Crude prices in 1946, which lagged behind wages increases, also were well behind prices of other commodities. Based on Bureau of Labor statistics, the Association's study showed that the \$1.43 average posted crude price in 1946 was 77.3 per cent of the 1926 index level of 100 while the wholesale price of all commodities was 120.9 per cent of the index figures.

Texas oil and gas pipelines total 65,720 miles, with 22 major Texas projects totaling 8,584 miles currently under construction or planned, of which 1,530 miles will be laid entirely within the state.

Texas plants in 1946 refined 66.2 per cent of all the oil produced in the state, a total of 503,431,000 barrels.

Refining added \$273,564,000, or one-fourth, to the value of Texas crude oil.

Texas in 1946 furnished 44 per cent of the nation's natural gas—more than 1,750,000,000 cubic feet. Nearly 13,000,000,000 cubic feet of new gas reserves were discovered during the year. By processing methods, the industry also recovered from gas wells 65,197,131 barrels of petroleum products, which included condensate and crude oil, natural gasoline, and propane and butane.

Head of Baptist World Alliance Coming to Abilene



DR. C. OSCAR JOHNSON

Hamlin area people will have the opportunity to hear the recently elected president of the Baptist World Alliance, Dr. C. Oscar Johnson of St. Louis who will be principal speaker for an all-day stewardship rally at the First Baptist Church of Abilene, Wednesday, September 3.

One thousand church officers representing 72,007 Baptists in this area will attend the meeting to hear reports on the World Alliance meeting in Copenhagen and to plan their church financial programs to meet increasing needs.

One of the most popular speakers for club and civic meetings as well as for the pulpits of the nation, Dr. Johnson has been termed "The Will Rogers of Baptist Circles." He is pastor of the Third Baptist Church of St. Louis.

Dr. J. Howard Williams, executive secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, recently returned from the World Alliance, will describe the relation of the Texas Baptist program to world evangelization.

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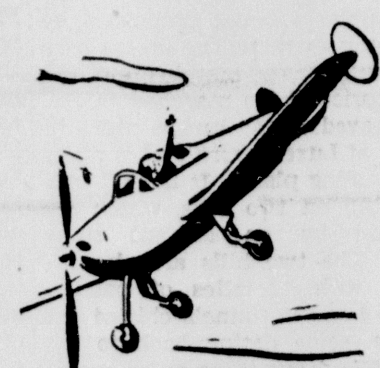


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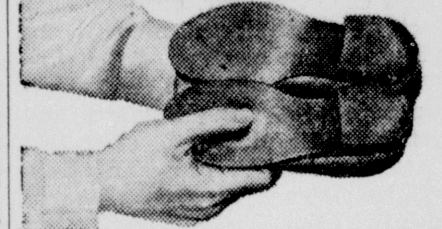
In response to numerous inquiries, Mrs. E. M. Wilson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, announced today that Hamlin would not observe Labor Day as a holiday. As far as it is known all business houses will be open, with the exception of the F. & M. Bank and the Post Office.

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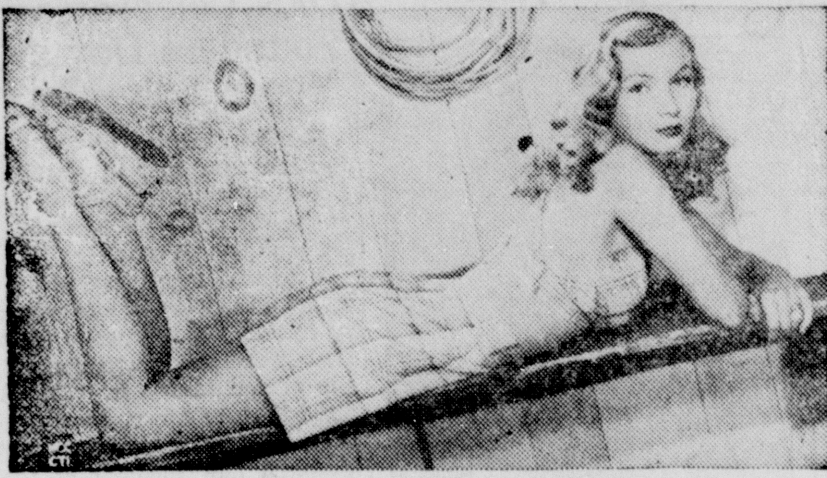
a member of this club. Your pledge is all that is necessary to qualify.

It seems so foolish for American women to allow French and British designers to impose these extravagant fashions on them while their own women in France and England plead for bits of fabric to cover their bodies.

These longer styles are unbecoming to most women and why should we wear clothes that do not flatter. Besides, few of us can afford a complete new wardrobe at the present high cost of ready-to-wear or materials.

In Fort Worth you see very few extremely long skirts and those few who do wear them look ridiculous. Such a drastic drop in length makes one a target for critical glances. You just can't help noticing the change. It seems to us, we are going back-

KEEPING COOL—IN COTTONS



Vivacious Veronica Lake, who has her warm moments, knows how to keep cool, too—she slips into a crisp cotton playsuit, thrusts her toes into a pair of air-cooled sandals, and has the answer to that question of what to do about the heat.

ward in fashions instead of forward. A few years ago we laughed at the pictures of our mothers in their queer-looking wasp-waist, long narrow skirts and dresses and so soon we are letting ourselves be forced into the same costumes.

In other words, we are against it. And we are not by ourselves. A wave of protest is sweeping the entire nation.

Think it over and if you desire

such a club here let's get busy and organize one.

Jessie Myers scores again! She won first place in the flag race at the Winters Rodeo this past week-end with 12.9 seconds time compared to 13.4 seconds by her nearest opponent. And again she was entered from Hamlin. Are you proud of her? If so, have you done anything to let her know about it?

While driving to Cowtown, we were attracted by a highway sign pointing the way to Necessity. Wish we had the time to go by that town and investigate the reason for organization of that particular town. If you drive long enough in Texas, you will hear of or visit towns and cities of almost every name in the dictionary and some Webster never heard of.

Noticed the population of Mineral Wells is still undecided. Or at least the space for that information on the highway marker is left vacant. They are coming in and out so often we suppose it is difficult to count them—or to determine if they are residents or only visitors.

Every time we pass through that city, we can't help but think that they are poor advertisers. One of the most beautiful and modernistic buildings on the street along which the highway passes is a funeral home and then just at the edge of the business section, lies a very large, attractive cemetery. Now we ask you, is that type of advertising good for a city that is supposed to be a health resort?

A West Texan was complaining that his crops needed rain. A guy from another state made this smart remark, "Well, if you Texans could suck like you can blow you would have all the water you need from the Gulf of Mexico."

Our ticket agent friend in Fort Worth tells us a true story that is more convincing than "People Are Funny." On July 4th, when the line of would-be ticket buyers was unusually long at his window, he missed hearing the first bus call for Brownwood and all points on that line. When the second call was made, he made an appeal for Brownwood passengers to step forward ahead of others in the line. One lady stepped proudly to the front and he asked, "Want a ticket to Brownwood?" Oh, no! she replied, "I'm not going anywhere, but I'm from Brownwood." Nothing like being proud of your hometown. But even pride has its time and place. When asked what he did in response, he answered that he only beat his head against the marble slab to expound the steam bubbling up inside.

George Darden writes that he was surprised to find the following article in the Shreveport Times Saturday morning:

"The Walter Winchell of West Texas," as readers of the Hamlin Herald, Hamlin, Texas, have dubbed the paper's columnist, George Darden of McCauley, Texas, is here with his wife and children, Margaret, George Jr., and Jimmy, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Darden's daughter and son-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. W. H. Pickron Jr., at their home, 5701 Hearne Avenue. This is Darden's first trip to Louisiana.

Wonder who George's press agent is in Shreveport?

The Really Vital Question.

Young Johnny was inclined to be rather frivolous and irresponsible, and his father decided to have a serious talk with him.

"Johnny," he said, "you're a big boy now and it's time you took things seriously. Just supposing I were to die suddenly, where would you be?"

"I'd be here," replied Johnny. "The question is, where would you be?"

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Honey Bird, Red Sour Pitted	No. 2	27¢	Sunnybank	1-Lb.	39¢
Cherries	Can		Margarine	Pkg.	
Musselman's			Dutch Mill American		
Apple Sauce	2 No. 2 Cans	25¢	Cheese	2-Lb.	93¢
Sunny Down Tomato			Black Hawk Luncheon		
Juice	No. 2 Can	11¢	Meat	12-Oz. Can	37¢

Plan good eating for Labor Day weekend

by Carol Drake



Nothing quite like good food, especially good that is, to give the Labor Day weekend a holiday air.

FROZEN ORANGE CRUSH will start the day bright. Pour orange juice into refrigerator trays; freeze to mush. Serve in sauce dishes with a saucy sprig of mint.

WHOLE KERNEL CORN FOLDED INTO SCRAMBLED EGGS with some chopped chives or parsley is a sunny surprise! (Sure, leftover roasting ears can be de-kernelled for corn, but who ever has any left over?)

TAFFY ROLL UPS—the tasty finale. Roll biscuit dough ¼-inch thick. Spread with butter, cinnamon, sugar and raisins. Roll jelly roll style; slice. Bake at 400° F. 15 minutes; remove from oven; spoon on Taffy Sirup: ½ cup molasses, ¼ cup water and 1 tablespoon butter cooked to softball stage (236° F.).

CHOCOLATE MINT WAFERS—Nice for bidding farewells and closing cottages, lunch boxes or teas. Make chocolate ice box cookie dough. Shape rolls about 50-cent piece size; wrap in waxed paper; chill several hours. Slice thin and bake. Put together sandwich-style with minted green powdered sugar frosting.

SPEAKING OF SANDWICHES, Carol Drake has a free Tea Sandwich leaflet, suggesting ways of filling and cutting sandwiches. Write P. O. Box 2110, Dept. TS, San Francisco 26, Calif.

A LABOR SAVING WAY WITH SPARERIBS—APPROPRIATE TO THE DAY. Simmer spareribs until tender, about 1 hour. Remove bones (they practically fall out) and cut in serving-size pieces—we use 4 ribs per person. Refrigerate until 15 minutes before eating time in barbecue sauce—ready bottled or your own special tomato paste-cayenne-vinegar-brown sugar version. Remove from sauce; broil, basting frequently with the barbecue sauce. Ribless ribs mean easy eating.

Carol Drake, Director
The Homemakers' Bureau
An Extra Safeway Service

P.S. GIVE A BACK-TO-SCHOOL PARTY. For refreshments—pop corn balls with a handle and a surprise inside! Press freshly caramelized popped corn around lollypops to form balls. Arrange bouquet-fashion in low vase or bowl for easy serving.

Check These Values

Juice	Town House Grapefruit	46-Oz. Can	17¢
Prune Juice	Sun Sweet	32-Oz. Bot.	25¢
Apple Juice	Mott's	Qt. Bot.	19¢
Apple Butter	c & s	28-Oz. Jar	25¢
Peach Nectar	Highway	12-Oz. Can	11¢
Beans	Gardenside Cut, Green	No. 2 Can	23c
Peas	Sugar Belle Sweet Peas	No. 2 Can	20¢
Peas	Libby's Jumbo, Sweet	No. 2 Can	23¢
Carrots	Del Monte Diced	No. 303 Can	11¢
Pork & Beans	Van Camp	16-Oz. Can	14¢

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SAFEWAY FARM-FRESH PRODUCE



Celery	Green Pascal	Lb.	13¢
Corn	Colorado Golden Bantam, Fresh Tender	3 Ears	14¢
Texas Bell Pepper	lb-		12c
Grapes	Thompson's Seedless	Lb.	12¢
Potatoes	Texas White Rose	Lb.	4c
Lemons	Sunkist 360 Size	Lb.	17¢
Onion	Texas	lb	7c
Cauliflower	Colo.	Lb.	15¢
Broccoli	Colorado Green, Crisp	Lb.	17¢
Greens	Texas Mustard	Bun.	7¢
Beets	Texas Fresh	Bun.	7c

MEATS GUARANTEED DELICIOUS

Beans	Van Camp Mexican Style	No. 300 Can	14¢
Potted Meat	Libby's	No. 1/4 Can	8¢
Jiffy Lou	Pudding	9-Oz. Jar	7¢
Mustard	French's Prepared	8-Oz. Jar	13¢
Dressing	Miracle Whip Salad	8-Oz. Jar	20¢
Cheese	Kraft Velveta Pimiento	1-Lb. Pkg.	27¢
Milk	Cherub Evaporated	3 Gall Cans	33¢
Raisins	Seedless Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg.	19¢
Apricots	Dried Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg.	33¢
Pinto Beans	Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg.	24¢
Bread	Mrs. Wright's Extra Tender	24-Oz. Loaf	17¢
Flour	Kitchen Craft Top Quality	5-Lb. Bag	47¢
Corn Toasties	Post	8-Oz. Pkg.	11¢
Chewing Gum	Bowman Reg. Mint	Pkg.	5¢
Fruit Jars	Ball Vac. Seal	Qtz. Doz.	69¢
Beans	Great Northern Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg.	17¢
Lux Soap	Toilet Soap	3 Reg. Bars	25¢
Beets	Snider's Sliced	16-Oz. Jar	16¢
Airway Coffee		1-Lb. Pkg.	36¢
Nob Hill Coffee		1-Lb. Pkg.	38¢



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SOCIETY

Ruth Ellen Whitley Weds C. M. Houghton August 14

Miss Ruth Ellen Whitley and C. M. Houghton were married Thursday, August 14 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Whitley at Celotex.

The bride was lovely in a black crepe frock trimmed in white lace. She wore a white hat with black accessories. Her corsage was of white tube roses.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Paul Joyner in the presence of relatives and friends.

Following the ceremony, a lovely wedding dinner was served by the bride's mother, assisted by the groom's sister, Mrs. Lee Roy Dinland, and the bride's sister, Mrs. Margaret Bragg.

The table was centered with a lovely four-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Houghton left for a two-week trip to points of interest in Arkansas.

The couple will make their home at Celotex where the groom is employed at the mill.

Mrs. Frank Bennett of Carlsbad, New Mexico has returned home after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Owen.

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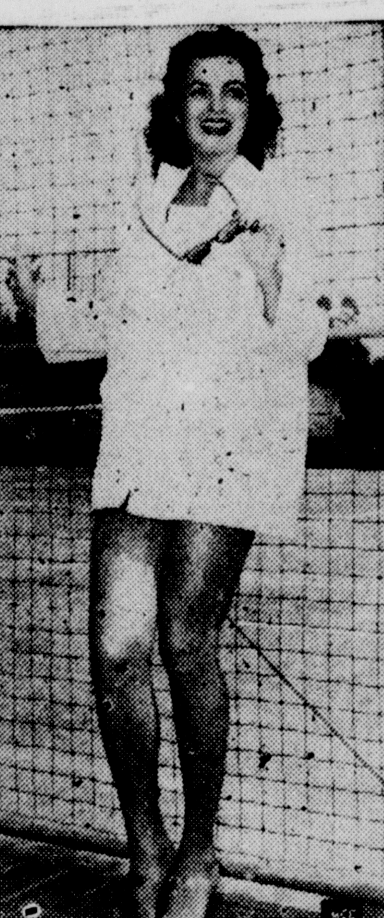
Pick up and Picnic! with PIGGLY WIGGLY FINE FOODS!



CARROTS	Nice, 2 Bunches	15c	GRAPES	Thompson, Seedless—Lb	11c
New Potatoes, lb.		4c	PEARS	Fresh, Pound	12 1/2c
FLOUR	Aunt Jemima 27-Lb. Sack	\$1.85	Best-Yett Salad Dressing or Sandwich Spread		Pint 25c
BEANS	Cut Green, Renown, No. 2	11c	COFFEE	Folger's, 1-Lb. Can	46c
Stokely's Tomato Juice, No. 2 can		11c	Durkee's Oleomargarine, lb.		33c
Super Suds	Large Package	29c	Makes Quart of Ice Cream Ten-B-Low, Jar		31c
Potato Salad, 16-oz. Jar		21c	SWERL	Magic Suds—Box	23c
Pure Lard	Armour's, 3-Lb. Ctn.	70c	Baby Food	Libby's, 3 Cans	22c
MEAL	Cherry Bell, 5-Lb. Sack	45c	SODA	1-Pound Box	7c
Velveeta	2 Lb.		Armour's Pure Pork	Lb.	
CHEESE	...93c		Sausage	...42c	
Chuck	Lb.		Fresh Ground	Lb.	
ROAST	...40c		BEEF	...33c	

**PIGGLY WIGGLY**

THE COAT, MEN!



This breezy beach coat of white cotton toweling is a priority item either for bathers or for court enthusiasts, and it's a nifty addition to any summer wardrobe. The wearer—as if you hadn't noticed! —is Faith Domergue, raven-haired screen beauty who is one of Howard Hughes' screen finds.

Attend Reunion.

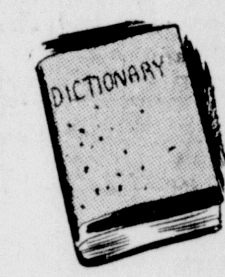
Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Pope, their daughter, Mrs. George Kinney of Stamford and Miss Irma Sigler of Tulsa, sister of Mrs. Pope, attended the Callahan County Old Settler's Reunion at Baird August 15. Mrs. Pope and Miss Sigler were former pioneers of the Putnam community. Miss Sigler returned to her home after spending several days in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Barnes and family of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris and family of Blythe, California, visited in the home of the A. T. Barnes and family at McCaulley last week.

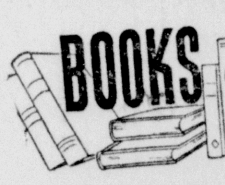
Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Carman, Mrs. Garlon Riddle, Jackie and Kay, Mrs. J. R. Hazard of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dayton and Lloyd Wesley of Pond Creek, Oklahoma were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hix last week.

BACK TO COLLEGE Specials

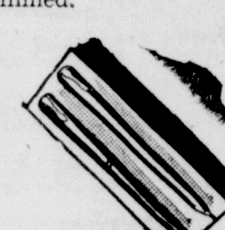
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• Billfolds, all colors, monogrammed.



• A Moore Guaranteed Pen and Pencil Set.
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OES Celebrates Founders Day at Moore Lake Cabin

Hamlin Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star met in celebration of Robert Morris, founder of the OES, at the McCurdy cabin on Lake Hamlin Monday evening.

A basket lunch served in picnic style was enjoyed by the group. Perry Sparks led the group in singing. Ira Clements, Worth Patron, gave the welcome address. "The Biography of Robert Morris" was given in a very interesting manner by W. R. Terry, a new member of the local chapter.

Mrs. Dick Maberry, Worth Matron, acknowledged the visitors and two charter members, Mrs. W. H. Gilbert and Mrs. D. O. Sauls. She, acknowledged the visitors and the appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy for the use of their cabin and to the officers and members for their work.

Members attending were: Mrs. Dick Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clements, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Terry, Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, Mrs. Perry Sparks, Mrs. A. Hudson, Mrs. W. B. Cotton, Mrs. R. W. McCurdy, Mrs. J. H. Foster, Mrs. Jess Cory, Mrs. Susie M. Gilbert, Mrs. Nancy Lee Norris, Mrs. P. D. Harkins, Mrs. D. O. Sauls.

Guests to the event were: Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Herbst, the Worthy Patron and Matron of McCaulley; Dr. and Mrs. Joe McCrary, W. A. Norris, Mrs. P. D. Harkins, Mrs. D. O. Sauls.

and Dick O'Sullivan and all members are urged to be present.

Jones County HD Clubs Will Have Big Rally

Jones County Home Demonstration clubs plan a county-wide encampment at Baptist encampment grounds at Lueders Thursday and Friday of this week. Registration began at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Thursday afternoon.

Recreation and demonstration in metal and corkcraft featured the first afternoon. County Judge Roger A. Garrett spoke Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Owen and children have returned from a vacation trip to Dallas, San Angelo, Big Spring and Colorado City. They visited her brother in Dallas.

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Kaiser and Frazer HAVE These Points—Others are Striving to Achieve Them in Proposed New Designs!

The Auto industry, generally, now seems to be shooting, in its postwar planning, for these three major points that are embodied in the Kaiser, Frazer and Frazer Manhattan:

COME IN—LET US SHOW YOU!

Irwin Motor Company

Kaiser—Frazer

News Briefs From Stonewall County

Aspermont public schools open the new term on September 8. Faculty is virtually complete. . . Football players of Aspermont under the di-

rection of Coach Charles Clark will open football training with a four day camp at Lake Cisco. . . Stonewall County farm lands are badly in need of rain. . . Old Glory Variety Club had its annual picnic last Friday. . . Stonewall county gins are preparing for the ginning of this year's cotton crop.

Used Cars For Sale

1941—Chevrolet Coupe
1937—Chevrolet Coupe
1940—Ford 3-4 ton Pickup

COME IN AND GET Acquainted!!

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News About Your Local Friends

Mrs. Lala Harbert has been in Sundown visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Jenkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Brown of San Angelo were guests of Mrs. John Owen and Mrs. Abney Owen last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stone, Neilda, Mr. and Mrs. Leaford Stone and Mrs. J. B. Sauls, all of here, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sauls, all of here, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young of Brazos City, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Young of Lovington, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Sauls spent last Sunday with Mr. C. B. Stone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stone and Elige at Rule.

Laverne Weekly has moved here from Abilene and is employed at the Vogue Beauty Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb and sons of McCauley spent the week-end visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. N. Cunningham and family at Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald B. Bryant spent the week-end in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Sprunger of there and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Usry Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. James Nash of Mineola. Mrs. J. H. Burkett, who had been visiting in Sherman, met them there and returned to Hamlin with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Russell and daughter, Glenna Maud, of Dallas and Mrs. J. C. Barow of Hico visited their brother and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Barrow, early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Robertson Jr.

and Tommy Wayne visited friends and relatives in Brownwood, Waco and Hico during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd Sr. have moved into their new home on Union Street.

Mrs. S. M. Richardson returned home Thursday after a three-week visit in Stephenville with her daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Brandon White and Linda. She also visited her brother, H. I. Money, and sister, Mrs. M. H. Coker in Dallas.

Mrs. Brandon White and daughter, Linda returned home with Mrs. S. M. Richardson from Stephenville and remained until Sunday when Dr. White came for them.

Misses Vellera and Ava Hudson and Mrs. B. E. Dixon visited Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hudson at Cross Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Stubbs and son visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stubbs at Knox City Sunday. His brother, Jack Stubbs of Big Spring, who was visiting here, also went to Knox City.

Mrs. Margaret Bledsoe visited Mrs. Fred Carpenter and other friends here early this week. Sue Bledsoe visited Vannie Bea Huling and other friends.

Saturday, August 30, is the very last DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop. New items added to the list. 1c

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Norris visited Mr. and Mrs. John C. Jenkins and new son, Jarrell Lee, and friends in Sundown during the week-end.

DID YOU know that Irwin Motor Company has an under-coating machine for that job of complete protection for your automobiles? Drive in today for further information. 1c

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Admission 12c and 35c,

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DANA ANDREWS and SUSAN HAYWARD in
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Also Selected Shorts
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TWO BIG FEATURES:
'Falcon's Adventure'
with TOM CONWAY
Also—
'Oregon Trail Scout'
with ALLAN LANE
Cartoon Comedy

Sunday Matinee, Night 8:45—
Monday Night—
'Dear Ruth'
with WILLIAM HOLDEN—
JOAN CAULFIELD
Also Selected Shorts
Also Selected Shorts.

Tuesday and Wednesday—
'Swell Guy'
with SONNY TUFTS and ANN BLYTHE
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Always Cool and Comfortable
Latest News Reel on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Money and daughter, Irwinna of Dallas are here from Dallas on their vacation visiting his mother, Mrs. N. E. Money and family, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Taylor and family. The I. H. Money and Taylors visited Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico early this week.

Mrs. S. D. McMahon plans to attend the Dallas and Allied Gift Shows in Dallas next week.

DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop Saturday, August 30, includes a number of 2 for 1 items. You can't afford to miss. 1c

John Crowe remains ill in a Rotan hospital. He has been confined there for several days.

Miss Doris Cleveland of San Angelo visited her sister, Mrs. LaFoy Patterson and family last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Drummond and sons have been away on a vacation trip through New Mexico and Colorado.

BOOKS! BOOKS! Books! on the DOLLAR DAY sale at The Book Shop, Saturday, August 30th. 1c

NOTICE—I will open my piano studio at both buildings on Monday September 8. Class begin on September 15.—Mrs. L. B. Baker. 1p

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For Sale

FOR SALE—Four long-burner Ivanhoe oil stove; price \$20.—See C. P. Burnett at Compress. 1p

FOR SALE—Tabeltop Perfection Oil Stove, \$50; also Superflex Oil Heater, \$35.—Henry Holloway, Hamlin Route 1. 1p

FOR SALE—Golden Jubilee peaches, pick every day except Sunday; three miles east of Rotan; \$2.25 per bushel.—Dallas Neal. 42-2p

FOR SALE—1940 Deluxe four-door Ford; excellent condition.—See Charles Gardner. 1p

ONLY GENUINE Maytag parts for sale by Bryant-Link Co., Hamlin. 13tfc

GET YOUR new Hunting and Fishing license at Firestone Store. 43-tfc

STATIONERY—We have some beautiful boxes in an exclusive line. A part of the types we carry are Pine Memories, Leatherette, Oakwood, Shag Bark, Pagoda, and Wick-er. You can buy it plain or with name and address printed at The Herald office. 1c

FOR SALE—Good used typewriter.—Donald Bryant at The Herald office. 1c

WE CARRY the best stapler made—the Markwell Stapler, and staples. Why buy an off brand and have a hard time finding staples to fit it? Come to The Herald for your staple needs. 1c

SEE US for rubber stamps, stamp pads and stamp ink, variety of colors.—Hamlin Herald. 1c

GOOD SUPPLY of mimeograph paper, second sheets, copy sheets, stationery and letter papers.—Hamlin Herald. 1c

FOR SALE—Simmons Studio Couch, good condition.—Phone 54 or 456. 1c

FOR SALE—Good five-burner Ivanhoe cook stove; price \$20.—Mrs. W. E. Gardner, three miles east of Hamlin. 1p

FOR SALE—Seven used window shades, one cast iron wash pot, some extra nice light fixtures, and one garage door slide-back equipment.—See or phone Bowen Pope. 43-2p

VAULES. Don't miss this sale. 1c The LAST DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop, Saturday August 30th, will be a sensation in DOLLAR VAULES. Don't miss this sale. 1c

FOR SALE—Five-foot Electrolux gas refrigerator.—Call 422 or see Jack Hames. 43-3p

FOR SALE—Nine hogs, range in weight from 100 to 150 pounds.—See Herther Taylor, one and three-quarters miles west of Boyd Chapel. 43-2p

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FOR SALE—Boy's custom-tailored suit, three piece, 100 per cent wool; sizes 12-14; practically new; price \$12.—Telephone 354. 1c

FOR SALE—F-30 Farmall tractor in good condition.—S. C. Teague, box 631, Cross Plains, Texas. 1p

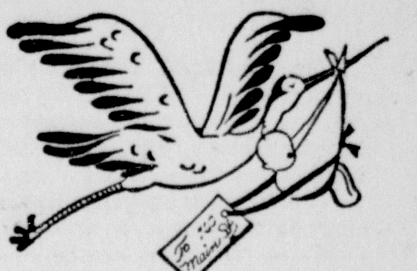
News Briefs From Haskell County

Paint Creek Rural High School opened the school term on Monday, August 25. . . Weinert's Schools will open on September 1. . . The old Norton oil test near Stamford will be deepened. The well was first drilled nearly a year ago. . . The Rule-Jayton Cotton Oil Company has purchased the Sanders Gin in Haskell. . . Scout Cavalcade visited Haskell on Wednesday. . . Haskell and Rule Boy Scouts tied for second place in the District Swimmoree at Camp Tonkawa. . . John Dyer, Howard Payne, graduate, will coach the Rule Bobcats this year. They have nine games. . . Extensive plans are being made for the Central West Texas Fair at Haskell this fall. . . Dave Persons of Haskell was elected president of the Legume Seed Growers Association in an organization meeting at Rochester last week.

VISIT OUR first class Body Shop; Kaiser-Frazer Body Shop, Jimmy Irwin and Doyle Slaughter. 1c

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Blessed Events



Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins of Sundown are the proud parents of a son born Wednesday, August 13. He tipped the scales at nine pounds and two ounces and has named Jerel Lee.

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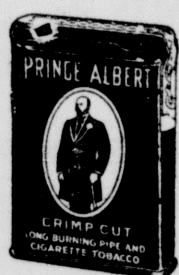
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NEWS from: Books Red & White

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Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—Three-room house and bath.—See D. Mack Stewart at the Stewart Furniture Company. 1c

FOR SALE—Seven-room brick home and bath.—See M. E. Herman at the H. & C. Food Store. 1p

FOR SALE—One choice residential lot on Lake Drive, water and gas on lot, also beautiful shade trees, sidewalks and curb on paved street; conveniently located to schools and to churches.—Mrs. W. D. Cooper. 43-3p

FOR SALE

Six Room modern frame house and garage; close in, wonderfully located, an ideal site for a home, well landscaped. If you hurry, you can't go wrong here. Price \$4500; a outstanding loan of \$2500 may be assumed. Loan payments including principal, interest, insurance and taxes all for only \$43.90. It's a good buy, immediate possession.

7-Room frame house in A-1 condition, two bath rooms. A wonderful location and a fine piece of property to own. See us.

Corner Lot, size 50 by 170 feet, one block east of hospital, has one-room house in good condition and storm cellar. Lot is fenced. Priced to sell.

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FARM FOR SALE—103 acres about six miles from Hamlin, 95 in cultivation. Well located, big house and barn in run-down condition. This is a good sandy loam farm and will make a good home. Price, \$65. per acre. Terms if needed.

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Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS

I want to take this means of telling my many friends how much I appreciated the cards, letters, blood donations and kindnesses shown to me and my family while I was in the hospital. Mere words cannot express my appreciation and I can only hope that your friends will be as thoughtful to you.—Robert Cary. 1p

Miscellaneous

YOU BEEN wanting rubber bands? We have them in 10 cent bundles or in boxes, assorted sizes.—Hamlin Herald. 1c

STEWART FURNITURE CO.—Up-holstery work done. We guarantee to please. 1c

DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop Saturday, August 30, includes a number of 2 for 1 items. You can't afford to miss. 1c

GET YOUR new Hunting and Fishing licenses at Firestone Store. 43-tfc

WANTED—Water well drilling—See or call Jess Whitaker, Anson, Texas. 43-4p

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished or unfurnished apartment or house.—See Jack Russell at the Post Office. 43-2c

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VISIT OUR first class Body Shop; Kaiser-Frazer Body Shop, Jimmy Irwin and Doyle Slaughter. 1c

FOR SALE—1-3 horsepower electric motor.—See Pete Bond at Firestone Store. 42-tfc

FOR SALE—1945 model 62 International six-foot combine.—L. R. Faulkenberry. 41-3p

Lost and Found

FOUND—Jersey heifer, about two years old. Has been at my place west of Hamlin for two or three weeks. Owner identify and pay for ad.—A. G. Gonzalez. 42-3p

Business Services

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MONUMENTS—High class monuments made to your requirements; reasonable prices.—W. L. Walker, Hamlin, Texas. 1p

DID YOU know that Irwin Motor Company has an under-coating machine for that job of complete protection for your automobiles? Drive in today for further information. 1c

WANTED—To see your smiling face come in our shop and see our new fall samples of suits and coats for ladies and men.—Style Cleaners, 1 1/2 blocks west of Bank. 42-tfc

SEE US ABOUT—(1)—A loan to help buy land. (2)—Refinancing on more favorable terms. (3)—Making improvements on a farm or ranch. (4)—Loans for general agricultural purposes. Long terms—four per cent Federal Bank Loans.—The Jones County National Farm Loan Association, Anson, Texas. 42-2c

WE HAVE the very latest in equipment to give your car complete service; our pressure washer and pressure grease machine are the most modern obtainable.—Visit Irwin Motor Company today. 1c

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PERHAPS YOU overlooked buying one of the War II Service Books of Jones County. We have a few left.—Hamlin Herald. 1c

Milking a Few Cows? Ship your cream to the Dublin Creamery; top prices; direct rail shipments into Dublin on Katy railroad. Cans shipped back and checks mailed same day received.

Dublin Creamery

Dublin Texas 40-54p

BOOKS! BOOKS! Books! on the DOLLAR DAY sale at The Book Shop, Saturday, August 30th. 1c

For Rent

FOR RENT—Magnetic vacuum cleaner, all attachments, \$1 per day.—White Auto Store. 3tfc

FOR RENT—Five-room house at Neilda, butane gas and lights.—C. E. Gregory. 1p

TRUE STORIES of WEST TEXAS

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FIRST SCHOOL OF THE PANHANDLE

The gentleman from Iowa, sitting on the porch of Clarendon's one hotel, was enjoying the arrival of the Mobette stage. Never, at least during his own three months' residence here, had that stage managed to slip in quietly!

Real Estate Loans--

Low Interest Rates

— Conventional — Farm —

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There was always the shrill excitement of the children, the happy barking of their dogs, and, on occasion, an escort of halcyon cowhands. In the background waited the more paid adult population of some two dozen trying in vain to curb their interest in the unloaded mail bags.

As Judge White stroked his little pointed Van Dyke beard and watched the clamoring dusty youngsters including his own two sons, his mind was jerked back to its immediate and somehow, somewhere, the necessary problem. A school must be started; sary funds raised. Donley County was not yet organized and he knew that the money must come through individual subscriptions. And there were only five families with school-ties!

"How about asking the cattlemen to help out?" his wife had queried, but he had vetoed this idea immediately. They were slightly older men with no young children and were of the rugged individual type that preferred to do things alone.

There was Charles Goodnight, for instance. He had already become a legend to the people of the Palo Pinto country with his drive through New Mexico. Having amassed a fortune, only to lose it in the crash of '73, he was now on the way to-

Uncle Sam Says



Did you ever can a United States Savings Bond? Don't answer "no" too quickly because that's what millions of wise Americans are doing daily. By buying bonds regularly through the Payroll Savings Plan where they work or the Bond-a-Month Plan where they bank, they are preserving income for future nourishment. Savings Bonds grow in nutrition value to you and your family through the passage of time. In 10 years they will produce \$4 in goodness for every \$3 you store away today. Yes sir, the best canning you can do now is the canning of income in the form of Savings Bonds.

U. S. Treasury Department

wards another. As the first cattle baron on the plains, he had located his Old Home ranch in the Palo Duro canyons in 1876, and the J. A. the following spring. He was also a leader of the Stockmen's Association, which organization was slated to meet in Clarendon quite soon. As went Goodnight, so would likely go the other cattlemen.

Judge Benjamin Horton White, who later became known as the beloved father of Donley County, knew that he had hesitated long enough. As this was a community project, there was only one thing worthy of doing. And he must bear the lion, and do it.

Charles Goodnight listened attentively to the judge, and then offered to personally present the need to the assembled stockmen. That organization immediately adopted a resolution to establish a school fund. T. R. Dickson, the secretary, was instructed to figure the cost per capita and to mail individual bills to each member.

And thus was instigated the first public school in the Panhandle of Texas. In a picket house and on planks nailed across dry goods boxes, sat the first class: The White boys, the Phillips boys, the Allen girls, the Wagner children, and Wally Parks.

Drive for Funds Began To Bring Home USS Texas

Hamlin area people are expected to respond to an appeal the state-wide drive raising \$225,000 to bring the Battleship Texas home to the Lone Star State sent out by Lloyd Gregory, Houston Post vice-president and general manager, chairman of the Battleship Texas Commission, in announcing the appointment of Allen H. King, vice president of the First National Bank of Houston, as treasurer for the financial drive.

"The commission hopes that people in all walks of life will contribute—from school children in the first grade to our wealthiest patriots," chairman Gregory said.

Chairman Gregory said that \$175,000 of the goal was needed to provide a berth for the battleship on the Houston Ship Channel near the San Jacinto Monument and the battle-field where Santa Anna surrendered to Sam Houston April 21, 1836. The remaining \$50,000 will be used for the first year's maintenance. After that, it is felt, that revenue from admissions and concessions will take care of the ship's upkeep.

The financial campaign will officially begin Monday, September 15, and an appeal will go throughout the state. However, many individuals and organizations already have made contributions.

Contributions to bring the Battleship Texas home are to be mailed to—Allen H. King, Treasurer, Battleship Texas Fund, First National Bank, Houston, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tate May were visiting their son, James Tate, in Dallas during the week-end.

Mrs. Gill Walker and children of Romney spent Saturday night and Sunday with Comie Drake.

Plentiful Chickens At Reasonable Price Make Fine Eating

Chicken dinners for Hamlin and ones County folks can be on the family table more often now.

So states Miss Hannah Nabers, county home demonstration agent, who says chickens are plentiful and priced reasonably at this period of the summer.

The wholesale prices for fryers are now below the last OPA ceiling, Miss Nabers continues. In fact, wholesale price for fryers is now back to 1926 price levels. Fryers are popular on the dinner table because they are adaptable. Served hot or cold, "country fried" or French fried, the plentiful young birds fill the menu bill.

Very plump fryers weighing not over two and a half pounds are tops for broilers, and the heavier fryers, weighing around three and a half pounds, lend themselves best to roasting, braising or fricasseeing.

However, the Jones County housewife prepares them, fryers are excellent eating at this time and they are certainly a good buy.

Guilty in the End!

The prisoner was on trial for stealing ducks. His counsel addressed the jury at length, pointing out that it had not been proved conclusively that the prosecutor had lost any ducks; that the ducks found in the prisoner's cottage were not those of the prosecutor; that the prisoner had established an absolute alibi.

Just as the judge began to sum up, the prisoner interposed and asked if he might say something. As an indulgence, this was permitted.

"All I want to say, gentlemen," he remarked, "is that I wish I'd never seen those birds."

Mrs. Leonard Lewis and Joy, Dean and Glen and baby of Abilene visited Comie Drake Friday afternoon.

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Technical Sergeant	135.00	87.75 151.88
Staff Sergeant	115.00	74.75 129.38
Sergeant	100.00	65.00 112.50
Corporal	90.00	58.50 101.25
Private First Class	80.00	52.00 90.00
Private	75.00	48.75 84.38

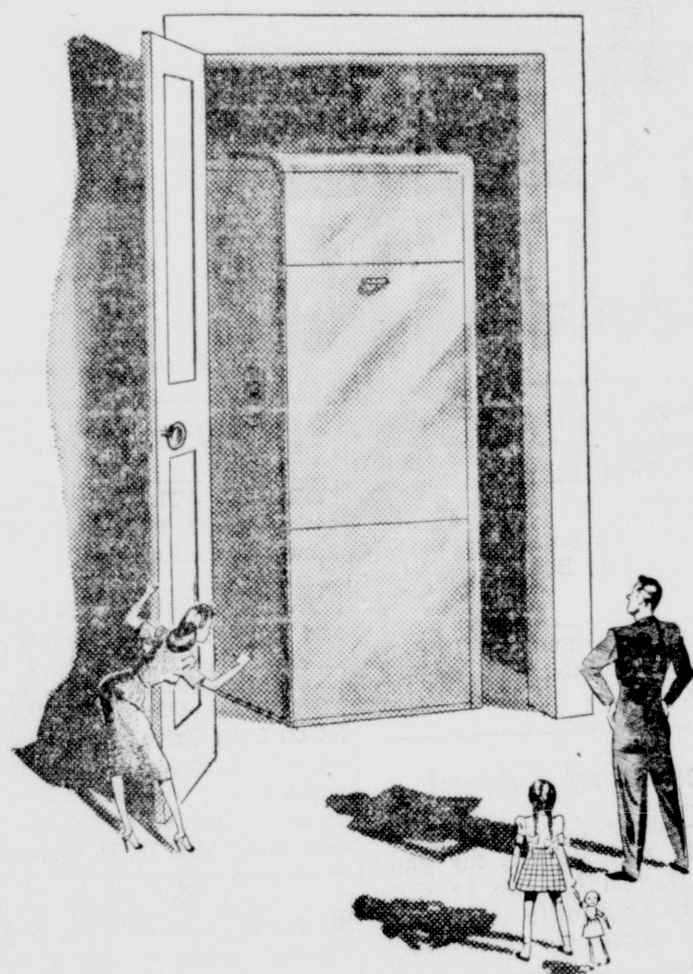
In addition to column one of the above: 20% increase for service overseas, 50% increase, if member of flying crew, 50% increase, up to \$50 maximum per month, if member of glider crew, \$50 per month for parachutists (not in flying-pay status) while engaged upon parachute duty, 5% increase in pay for each 3 years of service.

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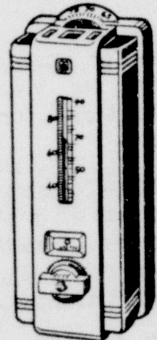
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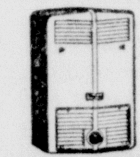
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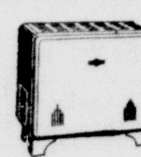


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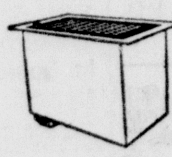
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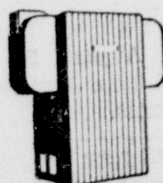


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Texas Pensions Go to More Than Any Other State

For the past 11 years now the government has doled out a meager subsistence to old folks in Jones County who cannot earn their own livelihood.

Jones County old age assistance rolls now number slightly more than 500 persons.

The government subsistence, under guise of old age assistance, was supposed to bridge the gap between the beginning, and the total effectiveness of the so-called old age and survivors' insurance features of the Social Security Law.

Theory, as local people understand it, was that the number receiving direct assistance would dwindle away. In the face of such a theory, Texas now has more pensioners on its rolls than ever before; more than any other state in the union.

If all the larger states, Texas, New York, Illinois, California and Pennsylvania had approximately the same number of pensioners, the matter would be understandable, but Texas has more than any other state. New York, for instance, has twice as many people but 75,000 fewer pensioners. California has 2,000,000 more population and 15,000 fewer on the assistance rolls, and if the present number in Texas increases the government hasn't any kind of ready answer for the problem.

Mrs. Viola Woodruff and children, Betty and Bob of Bevins spent last week-end with Comie Drake and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hubbard had as their week-end guest their granddaughters, Venita Lue and Geneva Sue Edington from Abilene.

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A Matter Vital To All of Us Needs Your Co-operation!

As all of us know, this area in good crop years needs the valuable assistance of migratory farm laborers from Mexico. Hamlin was one of the first towns in this section to provide a free Migratory Labor Camp. At the present time, the camp is badly run down and does not provide the facilities so badly needed.

Plans are being formed to build new bath rooms, sheds and other camp facilities, including a small cafe for these people. Something should be done or the area might face a drastic shortage of cotton pickers.

No one wants this to happen—both

the farmer and the businessman are vitally concerned. Businessmen improved the camp site and have kept it up in the past. They are willing to go a big share of the contemplated improvements, which would probably amount to several thousand dollars. They will appreciate the backing, financially and otherwise, of farmers throughout this area. Contributions from farmers will be gladly accepted and used in this work.

Local people are willing to accept the responsibility of the camp's operation—but will appreciate any advice or assistance from farmer friends. Let them hear from you about this!

McCaulley School Opens Monday, September 8

McCaulley School system will open for the 1947-1948 term on Monday,

September 8. Superintendent W. W. Webb announced this week. The nine teachers are now complete and all buildings are in readiness for the new term.

During the summer months the Royston district was consolidated with McCaulley and about half of Boyd Chapel, the remainder of that district being divided between Hamlin and Anson. The district now has a total of 276 scholastics enrolled, according to Webb.

The new gym and auditorium building, including two additional class rooms has been completed and will be ready for use.

A total of 22 accredited units are now listed for the high school it is said.

In addition to Superintendent Webb members of the faculty are as follows: Elementary school, Mrs. O. T. Hennington, Mrs. L. E. Rector, Mrs. Cecil Woods, Mrs. M. M. Sewell, Mrs. J. B. Jayroe; High school, Superintendent Webb, Mrs. Roy Hennington, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Short, Mr. Short being the principal of the McCaulley school this year.

Mrs. M. Y. Wilson Jr. Home from Germany

Mrs. M. Y. Wilson Jr. and three-year old daughter, Patty, are here for a month visit with her mother-in-law, Mrs. M. Y. Wilson.

The younger Mrs. Wilson has just recently returned from Europe, where she has spent one year as the secretary to the Special Service officer at Weisbaden, Germany. She went to that country in hopes that she might learn some information concerning her husband, whose plane was lost over that country during the war. She was unable to obtain any further information.

Her home is in Mobile, Alabama. Mrs. Wilson will have her family all at home this week-end when her two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wilson of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson and son, Randy, arrive for a visit.

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Texas." Our hotel for the next two nights was at Engleburg, a little village right up in the Alps. From there we took an excursion to Rigi Kulm. We drove first to Lucerne by coach, had a cruise on the lake to Vitznau, where we took a cog railway right up the mountain to the top, where we beheld one of Switzerland's finest panoramas. And whom should we meet way up there but some folks from Abilene, Texas!

On the cruise back to Lucerne we were entertained by a group of Swiss school children singing folk songs and yodels. On the way back up the mountain, we met a French woman driving a tiny European car. When she saw that there were only a few inches of clearance (she was on the outside) she lost her head and bumped into our bus. Then the bus driver had to get out and unlock the bumpers. One woman in the bus—a perpetual gripe and alarmist noticed the bus driver left the engine running. She just knew we would all be killed by gas fumes so she issued a command that all the windows be opened. It just so happened that we were in an open air bus so we could look out the top and see the mountains but we all just giggled and opened the windows to humor her. When the driver got back in the bus he expressed his thoughts about the accident with much jabbering and gestures. Our guide and interpreter turned to us and said, "He says she is a French woman and is a wash out as a driver."

That night we were entertained by Swiss yodelers, alpine horn solos, Swiss folk dances in costumes and a flag-waving artist. As it happened, we had in our party a girl from Baylor, who was United States champion flag-waver of 1940. They persuaded her to perform and she was twice as good as the Swiss fellow.

We spent two nights in Interlaken, right at the foot of the Jungfrau, second highest peak in Europe. We took an excursion by mountain railway to Scheidegg—half way up to Jungfrau. I wish I could describe to you the snowy peaks, blue lakes, emerald hills, silver waterfalls, dashing streams—everything in this delightful country, but I can't. We just hope that the pictures will be good so you can see some of what we saw.

At Montreaux, we visited the romantic Castle of Chillon, where Lord Byron wrote his famous poem, "The Prisoner of Chillon."

We spent a day in Geneva, where we saw the League of Nations building, now used by the U. N. O. Most interesting were the Reformation Monument (pictured in Life Magazine some time ago) and the churches of Calvin and Knox used during the Reformation.

We arrived in Paris last night after a nine and one-half hour train trip. These European train rides are really something. No drinking water, sometimes no water at all, coal burning engines, no air conditioning in the coaches so that means open windows. We were really a wretched and bedraggled-looking group when we got to "Gay Paree." But we wouldn't have missed these trips for anything because we have a wonderful time singing hymns and participating in patriotic songs. We talk about the folks back home, how much we appreciate our own U. S. A. The friends we have made among our party are worth the price of the tour.

We really do thank all of you who have written letters and cards. They mean so much to us.

Sincerely,
Jean Osteen.

Saturday, August 30, is the very last DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop. New items added to the list. 1c

Local Farmers Urged to Assist In Labor Camp

Hamlin businessmen are asking the cooperation and assistance of the area cotton farmers in a matter that is vital to all citizens if cotton-picking labor problems are to be successfully solved in the future, according to an advertisement in The Herald.

Migratory farm laborers from Mexico lend valuable assistance year in and year out to area farmers in getting out their cotton crops. Hamlin businessmen were among the first in West Texas to realize the importance of this and provided a free migratory labor camp.

As stated in the advertisement, the camp is badly run down and need repairs. Plans are being made to rebuild much of the camp area and provide better facilities as at the present time they are not as they should be. The camp needs an adjacent cafe operated by these people.

Other nearby towns with the cooperation of farmers an businessmen are providing better facilities and unless Hamlin "steps out" and does takes care of the situation, a drastic labor shortage might develop. A survey of business houses discloses that economically the camp is of very little importance, as most of the money earned is sent to their homes in Mexico and South Texas by postal order. The main thing is that it is important to be kept up because it assures a return of cotton pickers year after year.

Local backers of the project are willing to put the improvement program over, but they want the help, financially and otherwise of the farmers able to do so as the project will run into several thousand dollars. In the past, local businessmen have improved and kept up the site which they own outright. It is planned to build facilities that will be capable of being used for the FFA club shows and other like farm programs.

Any business man will be glad to accept contributions

Guard Would Lead In Service Training

It has been announced by Chief of the National Guard Bureau that in any future emergency National Guard will take a leading part in training of key personnel to staff any future selective service system needed include selective service sections.

to mobilize the manpower of the nation. Tables of Organization of the Guard Staffs have been expanded to take a leading part in the training include selective service sections.

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Morton's Iodized
Table Salt.....15c

The Magic Suds
Swirl26c



Mary Lee Taylor's
Melon Whip
Broadcast:
August 30, 1947

1 tablespoon unflavored gelatin
1/2 cup cold water
1/4 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt

1/2 cup Fat Milk
2 cups pared, diced melon*
3 tablespoons lemon juice

Soften gelatin in 1/4 cup water. Mix remaining 1/2 cup water, sugar and salt; heat to boiling. Stir in gelatin; remove from heat. Add milk. Chill until syrupy. Mix melon with lemon juice; chill. Whip chilled gelatin mixture until fluffy. Fold in melon mixture. Put into 4 serving dishes. Chill until firm. Makes 4 servings.

*Cantaloupe or honey dew melon can be used.

You Will Need:

PET MILK.....12 1/2c
Cantaloupe.....Each
MELON.....10c
Unflavored GELATIN.....21c
Juicy LEMONS.....29c

Can
HEART'S DELIGHT

Dried 2-Lb. Box
PRUNES....46c

Can
HEART'S DELIGHT

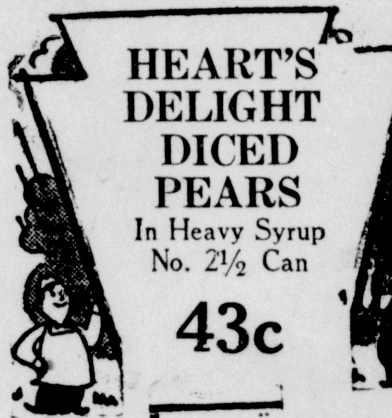
Glass Jar
Tom. Juice 23c

Pound
HEART'S DELIGHT

No. 2 Can
G'fruit Juice 9c

HEART'S DELIGHT

No. 2 1/2 Can
SPINACH.....17c



SAVE ON THESE CANNED FOODS

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Sweet Potatoes	No. 2 Can	10c
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Beans and Potatoes	No. 2 Can	13c
Baked Beans	And Vienna Sausage—Ca	14c
Green Beans	Lindale, No. 2 Can	10c

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Our packages of paper have more sheets because we bought them before size was cut!

ICE CREAM

Swift's All Flavors
20c

General Crude, Wise Chapel In Championship Finals

General Crude In Lead 2-1 for Seven-Game Tilt

Play-Off May Go Through Sunday

General Crude softball team held a two to one lead following Wednesday night's game in the seven-game series being played off this week at City Park to determine the championship of the VFW-sponsored Hamlin Softball League. The winner must take four out of seven games to be declared champion. If necessary to play the seventh game, it will be unreeled at the City Park Sunday afternoon.

General Crude defeated Wise Chapel 20 to 1 Wednesday night. Sylvester is leading Hamlin VFW in the consolation bracket, having dropped five consecutive games.

First place team wins \$250, second place, \$150, and the winner of the consolation bracket receives \$100. General Crude and Wise Chapel won their way into the top bracket last week defeating Sylvester and VFW.

American Legion Officers Installed At Stamford Meet

New officers of the American Legion Kellifer-Patterson Post were installed in a joint meeting of the Hamlin, Anson and Stamford posts Monday night with 5th Division Commander J. R. Gleaton as installing officer. The meeting was held at Stamford.

Local officers installed were: Joe L. Culbertson, commander; A. Hudson, first vice commander; Fred C. Smith, second vice commander; Atwood K. Robinson, third vice commander; Edgar Duncan, adjutant and finance officer; Andrew B. Roand, chaplain; Ira Clements, historian; Fred B. Moore Jr., service officer; J. C. Turner, child welfare officer and Van Huling, sergeant-at-arms.

The post meets each first and third Monday nights of each month and all members are invited to be present at the next regular meeting.

Phosphate to Be Received by Jones County AAA

At least four, and possibly five carloads of phosphate will be delivered to Jones County farmers during the months of August and September. The phosphate may be obtained at a cost of \$10 per ton to the farmer, and must be applied to winter legume seed or permanent pastureland.

Murel K. Beaver, acting administrative officer of the Jones County AAA, is requesting that any farmer interested in obtaining this phosphate contact the AAA office in Anson in the very near future and make application, in order that they may determine the amount of phosphate needed by this county.

Noodle and Avoca 4-H Boys Going To State Roundup

Willie Lee Spurgin, member of the Noodle Senior 4-H Club, and Mack Allison, member of the Avoca 4-H Club, have been selected by the Jones County 4-H Club Committee to represent Jones County in the State 4-H Club Roundup at Texas State 4-H Club on September 4 to 6. These boys were selected on the merit of their 4-H Club demonstrations, 4-H Club records and their general interest in 4-H Club work. The boys will be accompanied by A. & M. College by County Agricultural Agent H. C. Stanley.

Complete Schedule For Registration At School Given

Plans are being completed for the opening session of the Hamlin Schools, according to Superintendent I. R. Huchingson.

Registration of high school students for the 1947-1948 term of school will begin on September 8 and will proceed according to the following schedule:

Seniors, those with 10½ units of credit and above will register from 9:00 to 12:00 a. m. on Monday, September 8.

Juniors, those students with from seven to 10½ units of credit, will register between the hours of 1:00 to 4:00 p. m. on Monday afternoon.

Sophomores, students with from three to seven units of credit will register from 9:00 to 10:30 a. m. on Tuesday, September 9.

Freshmen, students with less than three units of credit, will report at the high school a 10:30 a. m. on Tuesday for registration.

All grade pupils will report to the new buildings on Wednesday morning, September 10, for regular registration. High school students will report to the high school for a half day schedule on Wednesday. There will be no further work on Wednesday, but a full schedule of work will begin for all pupils on Thursday.

There will be no bus service until Wednesday and high school students who are unable to come in for registration according to the above schedule will be given an opportunity to register on Thursday and should not come on Wednesday. However, they are advised to come according to schedule if possible. The Hamlin Schools will operate eight buses this year and the routes are being worked out to give convenient service as possible. A further statement as to the bus service will appear in next week's issue of The Herald.

The grades four through eight will report to the Elementary Building and grades one through three will report to the Primary Building. These buildings are being made ready for occupancy by the opening of the new school term.

The Hamlin Schools will only operate one of its Rural Elementary Schools. Two grades, the first and the second will be taught at the Celotex School. This school is being operated by reason of the fact that there are enough pupils in these two grades living at Celotex to maintain one teacher with out the expense of the pupils.

A complete list of teaching assignments will appear in the next weeks Herald. The Hamlin School faculty will be composed of 34 white teachers and four colored teachers for the 1947-1948 term.

The increase in the scholastic enrollment of the school will necessitate three sections of most classes. Students who attended a school outside Hamlin system of schools last year are requested to write to their school last attended for a transcript of their credits to be mailed to the principal. This will greatly aid in properly enrolling such students.

Two Local Men To Graduate From ACC Friday Night

Largest summer classes in history of Abilene Christian College, Abilene, will graduate on the night of August 29. Fifty-three members of the class will receive their diplomas from M. D. H. Morris, president, on that date.

This large number together with the 89 spring graduates gives a grand total of 142 graduates for one complete year, and another record.

Judge Owen Thomas of the 104th District Court in Abilene will deliver the graduation address.

Among those graduating are: Walter R. Cybert, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Cybert, who is receiving his B. S. with a major in Business Administration and Milton B. Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fletcher Jr., who is receiving his B. S. with a major in business administration. Both are from Hamlin.

Street Numbering Main Project Set By Hamlin Lions

Correct numbering of all houses in Hamlin will be one of the major projects sponsored by the Hamlin Lions Club this year, directors have decided, it was announced at the Tuesday noon meeting of the club. There is some agitation for renaming of streets, using numbers and letters of the alphabet. After this matter is decided, proper numbers will be assigned to every house in town.

Not only will house numbering aid in giving proper directions to townspeople as well as strangers, but will be one step nearer city mail delivery, which is being advocated by some Hamlin people.

Eyesight conservation will continue to be high on the club's program, as this is a perpetual problem. All Lions who failed to attend the Anson-Hamlin Lions softball game last Thursday night were fined and will face trial before a special jury next Tuesday. Hamlin won 15 to 12, or so it was reported, and the two clubs will play another game to determine the champion.

104th District Court to Open Monday, Sept. 1

Fall term of 104th District court of Jones County is scheduled to open Monday, September 1 at 9:30 o'clock with Judge Owen Thomas on the bench, according to Leon Thurman, district clerk.

The grand jury has been notified this week and will convene on the opening day of court.

Although there is a heavy docket of civil suits that are jury cases, the docket is lighter than usual. One murder case is on the docket: Frank Brown, negro of Stamford, who is charged with the murder of Hattie (Andy) McGee April 25. Brown is at present at liberty, having made his \$4,000 bond.

J. B. Eakin Named New Bookkeeper For Oil Mill Here

J. B. Eakin has been named new bookkeeper at the Midwest Cooperative Oil Mill, succeeding J. T. Hart, who has moved to Lubbock.

Mr. Eakin was formerly city secretary and was in the real estate business here until recently. He is well known in Jones County.

Mrs. Irene Opsahl and children, Jimmy and Blix of Coleman are the guests in the home of her sister, Mrs. Art Carmichael and family this week.

SERENADED WITH "DEEP IN THE HEART OF TEXAS"

From Canal-Bound Holland, to France and Alps Hamlin Baptists Viewing Europe's Worst and Best

Hotel Suisse
Montreux, Switzerland
August 17, 1947

Dear Friends,

This tour is progressing at such a speed that we hardly know which country we are in much of the time.

I believe I last wrote in Copenhagen. We flew from there to Amsterdam on the Danish Airlines and we had a very pleasant flight. Upon departure, we were served tea, coffee and the most delicious chocolate candy bar you have ever tasted. We haven't seen any chocolate since we left the States. It was interesting to see from the air same country we saw from the train and boat.

Amsterdam is a unique city of 800,000 people and scores of miles of canals. The weather was rainy most of the time we were there but we were able to visit the RYKS Museum where we saw etchings and paintings by Rembrandt. "The Night Watch" was found interesting and the guide explained it in much detail. We took a trip to the Isle of Marken but were unable to look around much because of a Dutch "Norther." We visited a fishing village and saw people wearing modern shoes sitting in tea shops and even standing on the street eating smoked eels. We also took a bus tour of the city of Amsterdam, as well as a canal tour and saw many signs of the recent war. We visited an ancient Jewish Synagogue where 5,000 used to worship, now 400 come there. The Nazis took 85,000 Jews from that city, took

Ten Bales Cotton Ginned in Area During the Week

Cotton picking is getting off to a good start in this area with 10 bales reported ginned during the first week up to Wednesday morning. Most ginners and producers are confident of a much better crop than last year when only 2,000 bales were ginned locally. Only light traces of rain have fallen in this area since last week.

Hamlin Farmer's Co-Operative Gin association led the field with a total of seven bales ginned. Producers Gin reported two bales and the Neinda Farmer's Co-Operative Gin processed the first bale Wednesday morning. These and all other areas were reported standing by in readiness for the rush expected in a few weeks.

Hamlin business houses contributed a premium of approximately \$70, in cash and premium for Boyd Lakey, who ginned the first bale of 1947 cotton here last week.

Hamlin's second bale of cotton and the first for Producer's Gin was brought in last Wednesday afternoon and was grown by J. C. Rainwater, who lives southeast of here near Anson. The bale weighed 505 pounds and brought 25 cents. He had 850 pounds of seed which sold at \$75, per ton.

An unusual thing about Hamlin's first bale was that both weighed over 500 pounds of lint—most first bales weighing just above 400.

Albert Maberry Heads New Sylvester American Legion

A new American Legion post was organized at Sylvester Thursday night in a meeting held at the school auditorium. Albert Maberry, World War II veteran, was elected as the post's first commander.

From out of town, P. C. Stacey, of Stephenville, commander of district 17; J. R. Gleaton, Stamford, commander, District 5; John Pope, Abilene, commander District 17; A. L. Stell, Anson, post commander District 17; Louie Jordan, Abilene adjutant 11th and 12th districts; met with the group and assisted in the organization.

Other officers are E. S. (Boots) Free, sergeant-at-arms; Thompson (McCauley), chaplain; Melvin Thompson, first vice commander; Jim Beck, second vice commander; Earl Holcomb, third vice commander; Raymond Kiser, historian; Louie Lawlis, finance officer; C. H. Clark service officer; and Stanley Jackson, adjutant.

An auxiliary will be organized the second Thursday night in September.

Construction Work On Local Projects Going Ahead As New Business Buildings Start

Pied Pipers Start Training Monday For Places on 1947 Football Team

Piper Athletes Honored by Lions At Melon Feed

Members of last fall's 1946 Pied Piper football team and of the District 13-A championship baseball team were honored guests of the Hamlin Lions Club at a watermelon feast in City Park Tuesday night. An annual affair, this year's party was much later than usual. About 40 men and boys attended the party.

The boys expressed their appreciation for the affair and their spokesman, Star Athlete Brad Rowland Jr., presented Coach L. B. (Red) Howard with a matched fountain pen and pencil set.

Iron Lung Fund Goes Over Top First Two Days

Contributions for the purchase of an iron lung by the Hamlin Fire Department amounted to \$1,499.21 last Friday and Saturday in the drive conducted with the portable machine on display at the City Electric & Plumbing Company.

This amount exceeds the actual cost since the machine costs only \$1,252.25, but the extra money is being put in a special fund which may be used to buy an incubator for the Hamlin Memorial Hospital after the type needed is determined.

Several contributions have also been received this week and will still be accepted and placed in this special fund.

Fire Chief Carl Young and his firemen are very well pleased with the fine response by the citizens of this community to this worthy cause.

The iron lung will be placed at the new hospital, when it opens, and will be available to everyone for use.

Warning football fans that they needn't expect a world-better football team this fall, Coach L. B. (Red) Howard announced this week that grid workouts for berths on the 1947 Pied Piper football team would get underway in earnest next Monday morning. Workouts will be conducted twice daily all of next week and be cut to one a day when registration starts on September 8.

Coach Howard is asking all boys expecting to join the squad to be on hand Saturday morning as he will start issuing equipment at 9:00 o'clock. He expects a squad of from 30 or 40 boys to report. His new assistant coach, Joe King, will be on hand to meet the boys and lend a hand.

At least five lettermen will report and possibly six. Around them Coach Howard expects to build his team. Lettermen returning are Louis Criswell and Seth Adams, guards, Billy Edward Franks, end, Billy Jack Owens and Sammy Butler, backs, Ray McCurley, a tackle, is working in the northern wheat harvest and it is not known whether he will report or not. The rest of the squad will be made up of boys who worked in spring training and some newcomers.

The Howardmen will have three weeks to round into shape before tackling their first non-conference opponent, the Rotan Yellowhammers at Rotan on Friday, September 19. First three games are non-conference tilts.

Coach Melvin Carlton will again be in charge of the Mighty Mice—the Pied Pipers of Hamlin for the future.

The 1947 schedule of 10 games, four of which will be played on Piper Field was released this week by the school officials:

- September 19—Rotan, there.
 - September 26—Merkel, here.
 - October 3—Spur, here.
 - October 10—Throckmorton, there.
 - October 17—Stamford, here.
 - October 24—Colorado City, there.
 - October 31—Munday, here.
 - November 7—Albany, there.
 - November 14—Anson, there.
 - November 21—Haskell, there.
- (* Denotes conference games.)

"Dub" Jackson To Preach Sunday At Baptist Church

Rev. "Dub" Jackson of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, will preach both at the morning and evening services at the First Baptist Church Sunday.

Lester Morton will sing a special number at the morning service.

Dr. Moore, Bible teacher at H-SU, was guest speaker at the monthly officers and teachers meeting Wednesday night and also at the regular service that followed.

Rev. Littleton, district missionary and former pastor here, will preach at the local church Sunday, August 31.

The pastor, Rev. John H. Osteen, plans to resume his duties here around September 10, arriving in New York this Friday, August 29. He will be in the pulpit September 14 and hopes to be here for weekly prayer service September 10.

Hershel B. Prindle Gets M. S. Degree

Hershel Beebe Prindle of Hamlin received his master of science degree in the summer commencement exercises at North Texas State College Tuesday night, August 26.

A total of 433 degrees were awarded in the ceremonies by Dr. W. J. McConnell, president of NTSC. Of the total, 305 were bachelor's degrees and 127, an all-time high, were master's degrees.

Miss Genelle Dean is moving to Dallas to reside with her brothers.

Hamlin people are witnessing considerable construction work this summer, with work on most projects showing considerable progress despite the summer heat and material shortages.

Newest major construction project to be announced got underway Monday morning when workmen started leveling ground and digging foundations for a new building on the lots recently purchased by the Carmichael Brothers, between Stewart Furniture and Wade Implement Company. Ward Harris, who has just completed a building to house his own business north of McCoy Brothers Service Station, is doing the work. The building, which will be of hollow tile and stucco construction, will be 75 feet deep and be divided in three separate store buildings 25 feet wide. When completed, it will improve greatly the appearance of Central Avenue.

Banner Creameries has nearly finished work on the old City Hall building and is now remodeling the interior of the city office and preparing the next door space for The Style Mart, a new locally-owned firm to open here soon. This building is faced with white stucco, and trimmed with black sheet marble. This, together with glass brick and new plate glass, will make the buildings one of the city's most modernistic. Plans call for glass doors.

Workmen are rapidly ending their work at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital and at both the Primary and Elementary School buildings. The school buildings, constructed of used brick, will be covered with white stucco later.

Elsewhere in the business district the Carmichael building, formerly occupied by a feed store, is being remodeled for occupancy by a cleaning plant.

On the Stamford highway, workmen were busy on the new building to be occupied by Wade Implement Company, located across the street from Jay Implement Company. Ben Wilcox has nearly completed his building now occupied by his grocery and has apartments upstairs. Concrete floor has been laid and offices completed at the Teague building, just east of Irwin Motor Company is now being occupied by Carl Murrell Chevrolet Company. A new show room will be built across the front of the building and side entrances will be opened.

The West Texas Utilities Company reports that curing and processing rooms for the locker plant are nearly completed and that they hope to have several hundred more lockers installed soon.

Fred B. Moore Jr., stated this week that contractors planned to start the construction of his modern, new grain elevator by October 1. Modern in every respect, the huge plant will tower 153 feet into the air and be the largest of its type between Fort Worth and Lubbock.

A number of new residences are being built and others are just started at various points over the town.

In a deal revealed this week, Sam Wilcox sold the property he now occupies at Central and Fifth Street, white also includes the Sinclair Station, to Charles and Harry Gardner. Wilcox plans to locate on the Stamford highway, it was said.

Other deals involving local business property have also been rumored this past week, but parties involved are not making any announcements at this time.

Methodist Pastor Announces Topics For Next Sunday

Dr. Will C. House, pastor of the First Methodist Church, will preach Sunday morning on the subject, "Life's Dominant Forces."

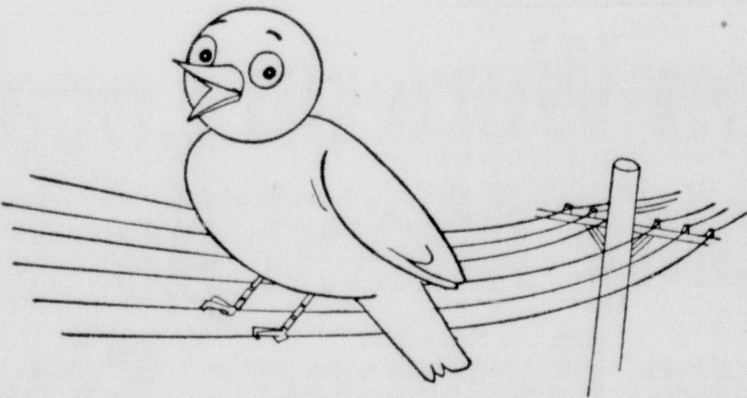
On Sunday evening, he will speak on the subject, "The One Way Road." You are extended an invitation to attend either or both services.

Mrs. Dora Agnew is moving to Anson to make her home with her daughter, Bertie Agnew, who will teach in the Anson school system this year.

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Texas Petroleum Industry Provides Living for One Person Out of Eight

Jones and Fisher County folks living among countless oil wells will be interested to learn that one out of every eight Texans gets his living out of the petroleum industry which provides \$1,500,000,000, or 23 per cent of the state's income, a survey by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association revealed this week.

The industry's 48-page annual report, "Texas Oil and Gas, 1947", a source book of official figures on the petroleum activity of the state, emphasizes the scope of oil and gas production, refining, and marketing and its effect on the economy of Texas.

Sitting atop 11,500,000,000 barrels of crude oil in underground formations (55.8 per cent of the nation's known reserves), Texas in 1946, produced more than 75,000,000,000 barrels which was more than the combined output from four leading foreign producing countries—Venezuela, Russia, Iran and Saudi Arabia.

The oil and gas industry spent \$1,524,104,000 in Texas in 1946, the Association report showed. Out of each dollar spent 31.5 cents went for wages and salaries, 16.3 cents for leases and royalties, which added together meant that Texas workers farmers, ranchers and other land owners received nearly half of each dollar spent. Most of the other part of each dollar spent remained in the state for taxes, and as payment for drilling, prospecting, supplies, and miscellaneous costs, such as interest to Texas banks.

"Furnishing 23 per cent of the total Texas income, petroleum might properly be expected to pay an equal share of governmental income. Actually, this one industry now pays 53 per cent of all state property and industries and taxpayers combined pay only 47 per cent," the publication stated.

State and local tax records summarized in the publication showed that 10.2 cents in taxes were paid on each barrel of oil produced, exclusive of any federal levies. Gasoline sales taxes, which the industry collects for the state, are not included in this tabulation.

Among the finding in various statistical studies included in "Texas Oil and Gas" were: Texas oil men drill deeper each year for new oil pools: 1946's average wildcat discovery well was 6,083 feet deep.

Oil men put down 7,804 new holes in proven and wildcat territories. Of the 1,591 exploratory wells drilled in 1946, 281 made producers. That's 17.66 per cent.

Drilling costs last year had climbed to an average of \$77,400 per exploratory test—almost two and one-half times the cost 10 years ago.

New wells increased underground oil reserves by an estimated 1,500,000,000 barrels in 1946. Ninety-two per cent came from extensions and revisions of known fields; eight per cent came from new discoveries.

Texas has 3,000 of the nation's 13,475 companies engaged in oil production.

Crude prices in 1946, which lagged behind wages increases, also were well behind prices of other commodities. Based on Bureau of Labor statistics, the Association's study showed that the \$1.43 average posted crude price in 1946 was 77.3 per cent of the 1926 index level of 100 while the wholesale price of all commodities was 120.9 per cent of the index figures.

Texas oil and gas pipelines total 65,720 miles, with 22 major Texas projects totaling 8,584 miles currently under construction or planned, of which 1,530 miles will be laid entirely within the state.

Texas plants in 1946 refined 66.2 per cent of all the oil produced in the state, a total of 503,431,000 barrels.

Refining added \$273,564,000, or one-fourth, to the value of Texas crude oil.

Texas in 1946 furnished 44 per cent of the nation's natural gas—more than 1,750,000,000 cubic feet. Nearly 13,000,000,000 cubic feet of new gas reserves were discovered during the year. By processing methods, the industry also recovered from gas wells 65,197,131 barrels of petroleum products, which included condensate and crude oil, natural gasoline, and propane and butane.

Head of Baptist World Alliance Coming to Abilene



DR. C. OSCAR JOHNSON

Hamlin area people will have the opportunity to hear the recently elected president of the Baptist World Alliance, Dr. C. Oscar Johnson of St. Louis who will be principal speaker for an all-day stewardship rally at the First Baptist Church of Abilene, Wednesday, September 3.

One thousand church officers representing 72,007 Baptists in this area will attend the meeting to hear reports on the World Alliance meeting in Copenhagen and to plan their church financial programs to meet increasing world needs.

One of the most popular speakers for club and civic meetings as well as for the pulpits of the nation, Dr. Johnson has been termed "The Will Rogers of Baptist Circles." He is pastor of the Third Baptist Church of St. Louis.

Dr. J. Howard Williams, executive secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, recently returned from the World Alliance, will describe the relation of the Texas Baptist program to world evangelization.

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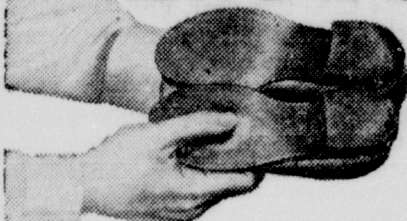
Open Labor Day.

In response to numerous inquiries, Mrs. E. M. Wilson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, announced today that Hamlin would not observe Labor Day as a holiday. As far as it is known all business houses will be open, with the exception of the P. & M. Bank and the Post Office.

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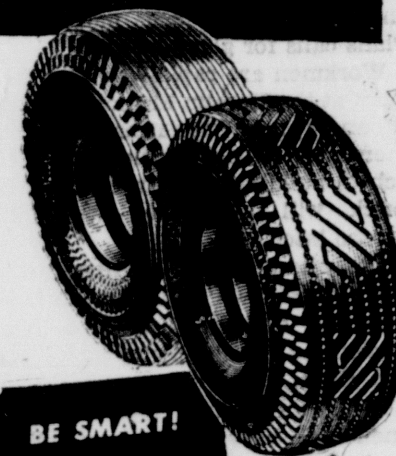
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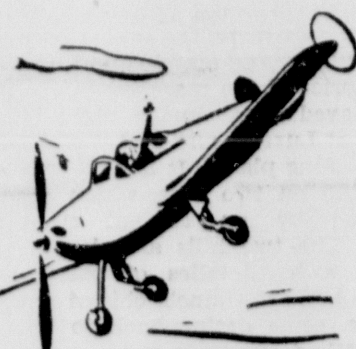


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Unless you are in real need of the money now, this institution and the United States Treasury Department strongly recommend that you permit your bond to earn interest at 2½ per cent (up to its maturity) until you actually need the cash. We will be glad to serve you at any time.

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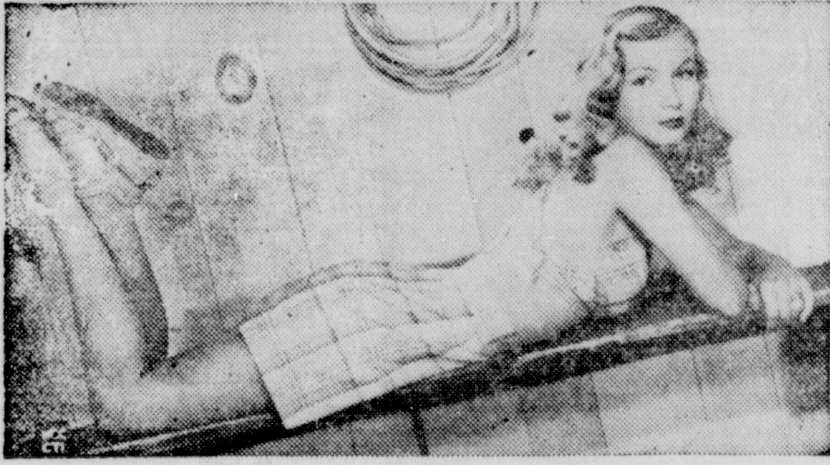
'Tween Me and my Typewriter

by Jeanette Bryant

Think we will help organize an L.B.K. Club in Hamlin. If you have not read about this new club, it is an organization of women who have pledged that they will not wear their dresses any longer than a "Little Below the Knee," opposing the use of extremely long skirts that renders their present wardrobe obsolete. There are no dues to pay to become

a member of this club. Your pledge is all that is necessary to qualify. It seems so foolish for American women to allow French and British designers to impose these extravagant fashions on them while their own women in France and England plead for bits of fabric to cover their bodies. These longer styles are unbecoming to most women and why should we wear clothes that do not flatter. Besides, few of us can afford a complete new wardrobe at the present high cost of ready-to-wear or materials. In Fort Worth you see very few extremely long skirts and those few who do wear them look ridiculous. Such a drastic drop in length makes one a target for critical glances. You just can't help noticing the change. It seems to us, we are going back-

KEEPING COOL—IN COTTONS



Vivacious Veronica Lake, who has her warm moments, knows how to keep cool, too—she slips into a crisp cotton playsuit, thrusts her toes into a pair of air-cooled sandals, and has the answer to that question of what to do about the heat.

ward in fashions instead of forward. A few years ago we laughed at the pictures of our mothers in their queer-looking wasp-waist, long narrow skirts and dresses and so soon we are letting ourselves be forced into the same costumes. In other words, we are against it. And we are not by ourselves. A wave of protest is sweeping the entire nation. Think it over and if you desire

such a club here let's get busy and organize one. *** Jessie Myers scores again! She won first place in the flag race at the Winters Rodeo this past weekend with 12.9 seconds time compared to 13.4 seconds by her nearest opponent. And again she was entered from Hamlin. Are you proud of her? If so, have you done anything to let her know about it?

While driving to Cowtown, we were attracted by a highway sign pointing the way to Necessity. Wish we had the time to go by that town and investigate the reason for organization of that particular town. If you drive long enough in Texas, you will hear of or visit towns and cities of almost every name in the dictionary and some Webster never heard of. ***

Noticed the population of Mineral Wells is still undecided. Or at least the space for that information on the highway marker is left vacant. They are coming in and out so often we suppose it is difficult to count them—or to determine if they are residents or only visitors.

Every time we pass through that city, we can't help but think that they are poor advertisers. One of the most beautiful and modernistic buildings on the street along which the highway passes is a funeral home and then just at the edge of the business section, lies a very large, attractive cemetery. Now we ask you, is that type of advertising good for a city that is supposed to be a health resort? ***

A West Texan was complaining that his crops needed rain. A guy from another state made this smart remark, "Well, if you Texans could suck like you can blow you would have all the water you need from the Gulf of Mexico." ***

Our ticket agent friend in Fort Worth tells us a true story that is more convincing than "People Are Funny." On July 4th, when the line of would-be ticket buyers was unusually long at his window, he missed hearing the first bus call for Brownwood and all points on that line. When the second call was made, he made an appeal for Brownwood passengers to step forward ahead of others in the line. One lady stepped proudly to the front and he asked, "Want a ticket to Brownwood?" Oh, no! she replied, "I'm not going anywhere, but I'm from Brownwood." Nothing like being proud of your hometown. But even pride has its time and place. When asked what he did in response, he answered that he only beat his head against the marble slab to expound the steam bubbling up inside. ***

George Darden writes that he was surprised to find the following article in the Shreveport Times Saturday morning: "The Walter Winchell of West Texas," as readers of the Hamlin Herald, Hamlin, Texas, have dubbed the paper's columnist, George Darden of McCaulley, Texas, is here with his wife and children, Margaret, George Jr., and Jimmy, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Darden's daughter and son-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. W. H. Pickron Jr., at their home, 5701 Hearne Avenue. This is Darden's first trip to Louisiana. Wonder who George's press agent is in Shreveport?

The Really Vital Question.

Young Johnny was inclined to be rather frivolous and irresponsible, and his father decided to have a serious talk with him.

"Johnny," he said, "you're a big boy now and it's time you took things seriously. Just supposing I were to die suddenly, where would you be?"

"I'd be here," replied Johnny. "The question is, where would you be?"

DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop Saturday, August 30, includes a number of 2 for 1 items. You can't afford to miss. 1c

BOOKS! BOOKS! Books! on the DOLLAR DAY sale at The Book Shop, Saturday, August 30th. 1c

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Stock up early at your SAFEWAY

Be sure you have a plentiful supply of good food in your pantry to tide you over the holiday. To help you prepare for the long weekend ahead, we've assembled a whole store full of the quality foods you'll be needing. Stock up now. Check these money saving values at Safeway.

Honey Bird, Red Sour Pitted	No. 2	27¢	Sunnybank	1-Lb. Pkg.	39¢
Cherries	No. 2	25¢	Margarine	2-Lb. Pkg.	93¢
Musselman's	No. 2	11¢	Dutch Mill American	12-Oz. Can	37¢
Apple Sauce	No. 2		Cheese		
Sunny Down Tomato	No. 2		Black Hawk Luncheon		
Juice	46-Oz. Can, 23¢		Meat		

Plan good eating for Labor Day weekend

by Carol Drake



Nothing quite like good food, especially good that is, to give the Labor Day weekend a holiday air.

FROZEN ORANGE CRUSH will start the day bright. Pour orange juice into refrigerator trays; freeze to mush. Serve in sauce dishes with a saucy sprig of mint.

WHOLE KERNEL CORN FOLDED INTO SCRAMBLED EGGS with some chopped chives or parsley is a sunny surprise! (Sure, leftover roasting ears can be de-kernelled for corn, but who ever has any left over?)

TAFFY ROLL UPS—the tasty finale. Roll biscuit dough 1/4-inch thick. Spread with butter, cinnamon, sugar and raisins. Roll jelly roll style; slice. Bake at 400° F. 15 minutes; remove from oven; spoon on Taffy Syrup: 1/2 cup molasses, 1/4 cup water and 1 tablespoon butter cooked to softball stage (236° F.).

CHOCOLATE MINT WAFERS—Nice for bidding farewells and closing cottages, lunch boxes or teas. Make chocolate ice box cookie dough. Shape rolls about 50-cent piece size; wrap in waxed paper; chill several hours. Slice thin and bake. Put together sandwich-style with minted green powdered sugar frosting.

SPEAKING OF SANDWICHES, Carol Drake has a free Tea Sandwich leaflet, suggesting ways of filling and cutting sandwiches. Write P. O. Box 2110, Dept. TS, San Francisco 26, Calif.

A LABOR SAVING WAY WITH SPARERIBS—APPROPRIATE TO THE DAY. Simmer spareribs until tender, about 1 hour. Remove bones (they practically fall out) and cut in serving-size pieces—we use 4 ribs per person. Refrigerate until 15 minutes before eating time in barbecue sauce—ready bottled or your own special tomato paste-cayenne-vinegar-brown sugar version. Remove from sauce; broil, basting frequently with the barbecue sauce. Ribless ribs mean easy eating.

Carol Drake, Director
The Homemakers' Bureau
An Extra Safeway Service

P.S. GIVE A BACK-TO-SCHOOL PARTY. For refreshments—pop corn balls with a handle and a surprise inside! Press freshly caramelized popped corn around lolly-pops to form balls. Arrange bouquet-fashion in low vase or bowl for easy serving.

Check These Values

Juice	Town House Grapefruit	46-Oz. Can	17¢
Prune Juice	Sun Sweet	32-Oz. Bot.	25¢
Apple Juice	Mott's	Qt. Bot.	19¢
Apple Butter c & s		28-Oz. Jar	25¢
Peach Nectar	High-way	12-Oz. Can	11¢
Beans	Gardenside Cut, Green	No. 2 Can	23¢
Peas	Sugar Belle Sweet Peas	No. 2 Can	20¢
Peas	Libby's Jumbo, Sweet	No. 2 Can	23¢
Carrots	Del Monte Diced	No. 303 Can	11¢
Pork & Beans	Van Camp	16-Oz. Can	14¢

PEACHES

Washington Large Hales

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SAFEWAY FARM-FRESH PRODUCE

Celery	Green Pascal	Lb.	13¢
Corn	Colorado Golden Bantam, Fresh Tender	3 Ears	14¢
Texas Bell Pepper	lb.		12¢
Grapes	Thompson's Seedless	Lb.	12¢
Potatoes	Texas White Rose	Lb.	4¢
Lemons	Sunkist 360 Size	Lb.	17¢
Onion	Texas 1b		7¢
Cauliflower	Colo.	Lb.	15¢
Broccoli	Colorado Green, Crisp	Lb.	17¢
Greens	Texas Mustard	Bun.	7¢
Beets	Texas Fresh	Bun.	7¢

MEATS GUARANTEED DELICIOUS

Short Ribs	Gov't Graded Beef Stew Meat	Lb.	29¢
Wieners	Skinless	Lb.	35¢
Ground Beef	Gov't Graded Heavy, Aged	Lb.	35¢
Cheese	Aged Cheddar	Lb.	53¢
Fryers	Manor House Gov't Graded, Cut Up, in Cartons	Lb.	65¢
Meat		Lb.	49¢
Lunch Meat		Lb.	39¢
Bacon		Lb.	39¢
Filletts		Lb.	35¢

Black Hawk Tender HAMS Half or Whole Lb. 59¢

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SOCIETY

Ruth Ellen Whitley Weds C. M. Houghton August 14

Miss Ruth Ellen Whitley and C. M. Houghton were married Thursday, August 14 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Whitley at Celotex.

The bride was lovely in a black crepe frock trimmed in white lace. She wore a white hat with black accessories. Her corsage was of white tube roses.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Paul Joyner in the presence of relatives and friends.

Following the ceremony, a lovely wedding dinner was served by the bride's mother, assisted by the groom's sister, Mrs. Lee Roy Dinland,

and the bride's sister, Mrs. Margaret Bragg.

The table was centered with a lovely four-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Houghton left for a two-week trip to points of interest in Arkansas.

The couple will make their home at Celotex where the groom is employed at the mill.

Mrs. Frank Bennett of Carlsbad, New Mexico has returned home after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Owen.

FHA Members Attend Camp August 20 to 24

One hundred and fifty-nine girls, teachers, and supervisors attended the Future Homemakers of America camp at Camp Arrowhead, at Hunt August 20-24. Purpose of the camp was to make plans for the organization for 1947-1948, and to install new state officers. Those installed were: Charlotte Ann Acker, president, of Jacksonville; Shirley Cook of Van, vice-president; Betty Lou Hamm of Taylor, recording secretary; Frances Ditto, Arlington, corresponding secretary; Naneen Campbell of Pampa, Dorothy Fay Shelton of Pearsall, as reporters Virginia Robinson of Edna; historian; Micky Vetter of Yelita; parliamentarian; Velma Howell of Tahoka and sergeant-at-arms, Billie Kathryn Beckworth, Rosebud.

"Future Homemakers of America is a national organization of pupils who study homemaking in junior and senior high school. We work together for better and happier home life for everyone. We think the helping to make happy homes now in the future is the most important thing that youth can do for democracy," it was stated at the meet.

Those attending from Area II were: Arn Agnew, Hamlin; Betty J. Alexander, Megargel; Adeline Clower, Graham; Anna Mae DeShazo, Snyder; Jackie Hart, Archer City; Betty Holland, Throckmorton; Velma Howell, Tanaka; Betty Lytle, Rule; Doris Pittman, Anson; Jo Ann Palsback, Rotan; Peggy Rea, Anson; Velma Schlegel, Olney; Gywina Lee Smith, Munday; Mrs. Frances Baker, Breckenridge; Mrs. Ima Dora Hille, Anson; Mrs. Camille Simmons Hamlin and Miss Esther Sorensen, Lubbock.

Mrs. W. L. Boyd Has Open House For Baptists WMS

Mrs. W. L. Boyd Sr. held open house for members of the First Baptist Church Women's Missionary Society Monday afternoon in her lovely new home on Union Street. All circles met together for the Bible study.

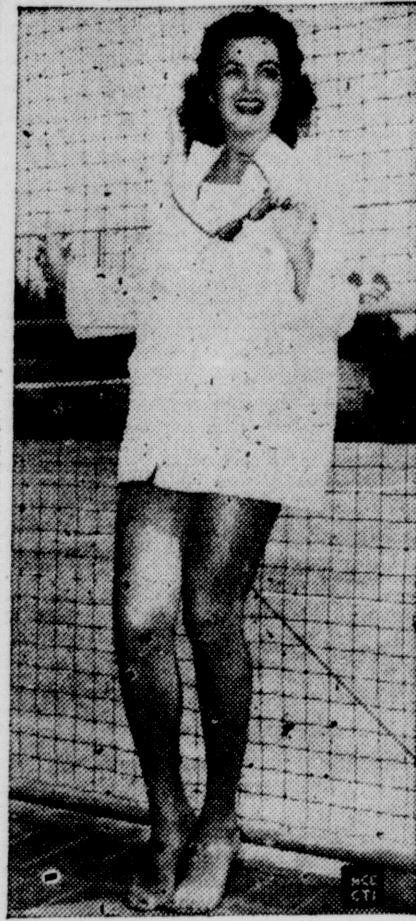
Mrs. Henry Albritton presided at the crystal punch bowl at the lace-covered dining table.

Mrs. P. D. Funderburk led the opening prayer. Mrs. Delma Shelburne presided. It was announced that the circles would meet with Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Ernest Jenkins, Mrs. Mrs. W. A. Albritton and at the church next Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Etta Stephenson directed the Bible study on doctrines. Mrs. Dave Harris led the closing prayer.

Those attending were: Mmes. Teddy Russell, A. Spencer, Dave Harris, Joe Simpson, R. N. Fairley, Delma Shelburne, Carl Young, W. A. Albritton, I. R. Huchingson, S. M. Richardson, Joe Wier, Aubrey Miller, Henry Albritton, Mattie Bruner, Roy Carmichael, Dora Agnew, P. D. Funderburk, V. L. Goodgame, Eva Golden, Alton Clemmer, Troy Austin, R. S. Ritchey, Etta Stephenson, Donald Bryant, and the hostess.

THE COAT, MEN!



This breezy beach coat of white cotton toweling is a priority item either for bathers or for court enthusiasts, and it's a nifty addition to any summer wardrobe. The wearer—as if you hadn't noticed!—is Faith Domergue, raven-haired screen beauty who is one of Howard Hughes' screen finds.

Attend Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Pope, their daughter, Mrs. George Kinney of Stamford and Miss Irma Sigler of Tulsa, sister of Mrs. Pope, attended the Callahan County Old Settler's Reunion at Baird August 15. Mrs. Pope and Miss Sigler were former pioneers of the Putnam community. Miss Sigler returned to her home after spending several days in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Barnes and family of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris and family of Blythe, California, visited in the home of the A. T. Barnes and family at McCaulley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Carman, Mrs. Garlon Riddle, Jackie and Kay, Mrs. J. R. Hazard of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dayton and Lloyd Wesley of Pond Creek, Oklahoma were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hix last week.

OES Celebrates Founders Day at Moore Lake Cabin

Hamlin Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star met in celebration of Robert Morris, founder of the OES, at the CoCurdy cabin on Lake Hamlin Monday evening.

A basket lunch served in picnic style was enjoyed by the group. Perry Sparks led the group in singing. Ira Clements, Worth Patron, gave the welcome address. "The Biography of Robert Morris" was given in a very interesting manner by W. R. Terry, a new member of the local chapter.

Mrs. Dick Maberry, Worth Matron, acknowledged the visitors and two charter members, Mrs. W. H. Gilbert and Mrs. D. O. Sauls. She, acknowledged the visitors and the appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy for the use of their cabin and to the officers and members for their work.

Members attending were: Mrs. Dick Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clements, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Terry, Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, Mrs. Perry Sparks, Mrs. A. Hudson, Mrs. W. B. Cotton, Mrs. R. W. McCurdy, Mrs. J. H. Foster, Mrs. Jess Cory, Mrs. Susie M. Gilbert, Mrs. Nancy Lee Norris, Mrs. P. D. Harkins, Mrs. D. O. Sauls.

Guests to the event were: Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Herbst, the Worthy Patron and Matron of McCaulley; Dr. and Mrs. Joe McCrary, W. A. Norris, Mrs. H. H. McCaulley.

and Dick OES met each day in each month and all members are urged to be present.

Jones County HD Clubs Will Have Big Rally

Jones County Home Demonstration clubs plan a county-wide encampment at Baptist encampment grounds at Lueders Thursday and Friday of this week. Registration began at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Thursday afternoon.

Recreation and demonstration in metal and corkcraft featured the first afternoon. County Judge Roger A. Garrett spoke Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Owen and children have returned from a vacation trip to Dallas, San Angelo, Big Spring and Colorado City. They visited her brother in Dallas.

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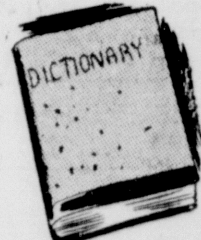
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CARROTS Nice, 2 Bunches	15c	GRAPES Thompson, Seedless—Lb	11c
New Potatoes, lb.	4c	PEARS Fresh, Pound	12 1/2c
FLOUR Aunt Jemima 27-Lb. Sack	\$1.85	Best-Yett Salad Dressing or Sandwich Spread	Pint 25c
BEANS Cut Green, Renown, No. 2	11c	COFFEE Folger's, 1-Lb. Can	46c
Stokely's Tomato Juice, No. 2 can	11c	Durkee's Oleomargarine, lb.	33c
Super Suds Large Package	29c	Makes Quart of Ice Cream Ten-B-Low, Jar	31c
Potato Salad, 16-oz. Jar	21c	SWERL Magic Suds—Box	23c
Pure Lard Armour's, 3-Lb. Ctn.	79c	Baby Food Libby's, 3 Cans	22c
MEAL Cherry Bell, 5-Lb. Sack	45c	SODA 1-Pound Box	7c
Velveta 2 Lb.		Armour's Pure Pork Lb.	
CHEESE ...93c		Sausage ...42c	
Chuck Lb.		Fresh Ground Lb.	
ROAST ...40c		BEEF ...33c	

BACK TO COLLEGE Specials

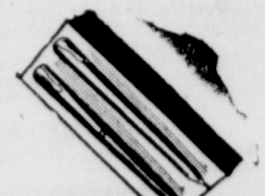
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BACK TO SCHOOL Students.



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- An Emily Post.
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- Ethel Lea-nore Creme Sachet.
- Billfolds, all colors, monogrammed.



• A Moore Guaranteed Pen and Pencil Set.

• A Dream World Doll or Doll Pin cushion.

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News Briefs From
Stonewall County

Aspermont public schools open the new term on September 8. Faculty is virtually complete. . . Football players of Aspermont under the di-

rection of Coach Charles Clark will open football training with a four day camp at Lake Cisco. . . Stonewall County farm lands are badly in need of rain. . . Old Glory Variety Club had its annual picnic last Friday. . . Stonewall county gins are preparing for the ginning of this years' cotton crop.

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1937—Chevrolet Coupe
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Hamlin

News About Your
Local Friends

Mrs. Lala Harbert has been in Sundown visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Jenkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Brown of San Angelo were guests of Mrs. John Owen and Mrs. Abney Owen last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stone, Neilda, Mr. and Mrs. Leaford Stone and Mrs. J. B. Sauls, all of here, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sauls, all of here, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young of Brazos City, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Young of Lovington, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Sauls spent last Sunday with Mr. C. B. Stone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stone and Elige at Rule.

Laverne Weekly has moved here from Abilene and is employed at the Vogue Beauty Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb and sons of McCauley spent the week-end visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. N. Cunningham and family at Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald B. Bryant spent the week-end in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Sprunger of there and Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Usry Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. James Nash of Mineola. Mrs. J. H. Burkett, who had been visiting in Sherman, met them there and returned to Hamlin with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Russell and daughter, Glenna Maud, of Dallas and Mrs. J. C. Barow of Hico visited their brother and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Barrow, early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Robertson Jr.

and Tommy Wayne visited friends and relatives in Brownwood, Waco and Hico during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd Sr. have moved into their new home on Union Street.

Mrs. S. M. Richardson returned home Thursday after a three-week visit in Stephenville with her daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Brandon White and Linda. She also visited her brother, H. I. Money, and sister, Mrs. M. H. Coker in Dallas.

Mrs. Brandon White and daughter, Linda returned home with Mrs. S. M. Richardson from Stephenville and remained until Sunday when Dr. White came for them.

Misses Vellera and Ava Hudson and Mrs. B. E. Dixon visited Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hudson at Cross Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Stubbs and son visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stubbs at Knox City Sunday. His brother, Jack Stubbs of Big Spring, who was visiting here, also went to Knox City.

Mrs. Margaret Bledsoe visited Mrs. Fred Carpenter and other friends here early this week. Sue Bledsoe visited Vannie Bea Huling and other friends.

Saturday, August 30, is the very last DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop. New items added to the list. 1c

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jenkins and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Norris visited Mr. and Mrs. John C. Jenkins and new son, Jarrell Lee, and friends in Sundown during the week-end.

DID YOU know that Irwin Motor Company has an under-coating machine for that job of complete protection for your automobiles? Drive in today for further information. 1c

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Monday Night—

'Dear Ruth'

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Also Selected Shorts.

Tuesday and Wednesday—

'Swell Guy'

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News Briefs From
Haskell County

Paint Creek Rural High School opened the school term on Monday, August 25. . . Weir's Schools will open on September 1. . . The old Norton oil test near Stamford will be deepened. The well was first drilled nearly a year ago. . . The Rule-Jayton Cotton Oil Company has purchased the Sanders Gin in Haskell. . . Scout Cavalcade visited Haskell on Wednesday. . . Haskell and Rule Boy Scouts tied for second place in the District Swimmoree at Camp Tonkawa. . . John Dyer, Howard Payne, graduate, will coach the Rule Bobcats this year. They have nine games. . . Extensive plans are being made for the Central West Texas Fair at Haskell this fall. . . Dave Persons of Haskell was elected president of the Legume Seed Growers Association in an organization meeting at Rochester last week.

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Attorney-at-Law
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Blessed Events



Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins of Sundown are the proud parents of a son born Wednesday, August 13. He tipped the scales at nine pounds and two ounces and has named Jerel Lee.

J. L. BLANTON

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FOR SALE—Four long-burner Ivanhoe oil stove; price \$20.—See C. P. Burnett at Compress. 1c

FOR SALE—Tabeltop Perfection Oil Stove, \$50; also Superflex Oil Heater, \$35.—Henry Holloway, Hamlin Route 1. 1p

FOR SALE—Golden Jubilee peaches, pick every day except Sunday; three miles east of Rotan; \$2.25 per bushel.—Dallas Neal. 42-2p

FOR SALE—1940 Deluxe four-door Ford; excellent condition.—See Charles Gardner. 1p

ONLY GENUINE Maytag parts for sale by Bryant-Link Co., Hamlin. 13tfc

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STATIONERY—We have some beautiful boxes in an exclusive line. A part of the types we carry are Pine Memories, Leatherette, Oakwood, Shag Bark, Pagoda, and Wickler. You can buy it plain or with name and address printed at The Herald office. 1c

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FOR SALE—Simmons Studio Couch, good condition.—Phone 54 or 456. 1c

FOR SALE—Good five-burner Ivanhoe cook stove; price \$20.—Mrs. W. E. Gardner, three miles east of Hamlin. 1p

FOR SALE—Seven used window shades, one cast iron wash pot, some extra nice light fixtures, and one garage door slide-back equipment.—See or phone Bowen Pope. 43-2p

VAULES. Don't miss this sale. 1c The LAST DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop, Saturday August 30th, will be a sensation in DOLLAR VAULES. Don't miss this sale. 1c

FOR SALE—Five-foot Electrolux gas refrigerator.—Call 422 or see Jack Hames. 43-3p

FOR SALE—Nine hogs, range in weight from 100 to 150 pounds.—See Herther Taylor, one and three-quarters miles west of Boyd Chapel. 43-2p

DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop Saturday, August 30, includes a number of 2 for 1 items. You can't afford to miss. 1c

FOR SALE—Boy's custom-tailored suit, three piece, 100 per cent wool; sizes 12-14; practically new; price \$12.—Telephone 354. 1c

FOR SALE—F-30 Farmall tractor in good condition.—S. C. Teague, box 631, Cross Plains, Texas. 1p

VISIT OUR first class Body Shop; Kaiser-Frazer Body Shop, Jimmy Irwin and Doyle Slaughter. 1c

FOR SALE—1-3 horsepower electric motor.—See Pete Bond at Firestone Store. 42-tfc

FOR SALE—1945 model 62 International six-foot combine.—L. R. Faulkenberry. 41-3p

Lost and Found

FOUND—Jersey heifer, about two years old. Has been at my place west of Hamlin for two or three weeks. Owner identify and pay for ad.—A. G. Gonzalez. 42-3p

Business Services

GET YOUR new Hunting and Fishing licenses at Firestone Store. 43-tfc

MONUMENTS—High class monuments made to your requirements; reasonable prices.—W. L. Walker, Hamlin, Texas. 1p

DID YOU know that Irwin Motor Company has an under-coating machine for that job of complete protection for your automobiles? Drive in today for further information. 1c

WANTED—To see your smiling face come in our shop and see our new fall samples of suits and coats for ladies and men.—Style Cleaners, 1 1/2 blocks west of Bank. 42-tfc

SEE US ABOUT—(1)—A loan to help buy land. (2)—Refinancing on more favorable terms. (3)—Making improvements on a farm or ranch. (4)—Loans for general agricultural purposes. Long terms—four per cent Federal Bank Loans.—The Jones County National Farm Loan Association, Anson, Texas. 42-2c

WE HAVE the very latest in equipment to give your car complete service; our pressure washer and pressure grease machine are the most modern obtainable.—Visit Irwin Motor Company today. 1c

Saturday, August 30, is the very last DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop. New items added to the list. 1c

STEWART FURNITURE CO.—Upholstery work done. We guarantee to please. 1c

PERHAPS YOU overlooked buying one of the War II Service Books of Jones County. We have a few left.—Hamlin Herald. 1c

Milking a Few Cows? Ship your cream to the Dublin Creamery; top prices; direct rail shipments into Dublin on Katy railroad. Cans shipped back and checks mailed same day received. 1c

Dublin Creamery
Dublin Texas 40-54p

BOOKS! BOOKS! Books! on the DOLLAR DAY sale at The Book Shop, Saturday, August 30th. 1c

For Rent

FOR RENT—Magnetic vacuum cleaner, all attachments, \$1 per day.—White Auto Store. 3tfc

FOR RENT—Five-room house at Neilda, butane gas and lights.—C. E. Gregory. 1p

Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—Three-room house and bath.—See D. Mack Stewart at the Stewart Furniture Company. 1c

FOR SALE—Seven-room brick home and bath.—See M. E. Herman at the H. & C. Food Store. 1p

FOR SALE—One choice residential lot on Lake Drive, water and gas on lot, also beautiful shade trees, sidewalks and curb on paved street; conveniently located to schools and to churches.—Mrs. W. D. Cooper. 43-3p

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7-Room frame house in A-1 condition, two bath rooms. A wonderful location and a fine piece of property to own. See us.

Corner Lot, size 50 by 170 feet, one block east of hospital, has one-room house in good condition and storm cellar. Lot is fenced. Priced to sell.

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I want to take this means of telling my many friends how much I appreciated the cards, letters, blood donations and kindnesses shown to me and my family while I was in the hospital. Mere words cannot express my appreciation and I can only hope that your friends will be as thoughtful to you.—Robert Cary. 1p

Miscellaneous

YOU BEEN wanting rubber bands? We have them in 10 cent bundles or in boxes, assorted sizes.—Hamlin Herald. 1c

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WANTED—Water well drilling—See or call Jess Whitaker, Anson, Texas. 43-4j

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished or unfurnished apartment or house.—See Jack Russell at the Post Office. 43-2j

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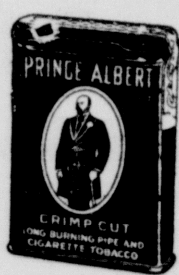
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"IN DOWN TOWN HAMLIN"

TRUE STORIES of WEST TEXAS

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FIRST SCHOOL OF THE PANHANDLE

The gentleman from Iowa, sitting on the porch of Clarendon's one hotel, was enjoying the arrival of the Mobeetie stage. Never, at least during his own three months' residence here, had that stage managed to slip in quietly!

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There was always the shrill excitement of the children, the happy barking of their dogs, and, on occasion, an escort of hilarious cowhands. In the background waited the more staid adult population of some two dozen trying in vain to curb their interest in the unloaded mail bags.

As Judge White stroked his little pointed Van Dyke beard and watched the clamoring dusty youngsters including his own two sons, his mind was jerked back to its immediate and somehow, somewhere, the necessary problem. A school must be started; sary funds raised. Donley County was not yet organized and he knew that the money must come through individual subscriptions. And there were only five families with scholars!

"How about asking the cattlemen to help out?" his wife had queried, but he had vetoed this idea immediately. They were slightly older men with no young children and were of the rugged individual type that preferred to do things alone.

There was Charles Goodnight, for instance. He had already become a legend to the people of the Palo Pinto country with his drive through New Mexico. Having amassed a fortune, only to lose it in the crash of '73, he was now on the way to-

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wards another. As the first cattle baron on the plains, he had located his Old Home ranch in the Palo Duro canyons in 1876, and the J. A. following spring. He was also a leader of the Stockmen's Association, which organization was slated to meet in Clarendon quite soon. As went Goodnight, so would likely go the other cattlemen.

Judge Benjamin Horton White, who later became known as the beloved father of Donley County, knew that he had hesitated long enough. As this was a community project, there was only one thing worthy of doing. And he must beard the lion, and do it.

Charles Goodnight listened attentively to the judge, and then offered to personally present the need to the assembled stockmen. That organization immediately adopted a resolution to establish a school fund. T. R. Dickson, the secretary, was instructed to figure the cost per capita and to mail individual bills to each member.

And thus was instigated the first public school in the Panhandle of Texas. In a picket house and on planks nailed across dry goods boxes, sat the first class: The White boys, the Phillips boys, the Allen girls, the Wagner children, and Wally Parks.

Drive for Funds Began To Bring Home USS Texas

Hamlin area people are expected to respond to an appeal the statewide drive raising \$225,000 to bring the Battleship Texas home to the Lone Star State sent out by Lloyd Gregory, Houston Post vice-president and general manager, chairman of the Battleship Texas Commission, in announcing the appointment of Allen H. King, vice president of the First National Bank of Houston, as treasurer for the financial drive.

"The commission hopes that people in all walks of life will contribute—from school children in the first grade to our wealthiest patriots," chairman Gregory said.

Chairman Gregory said that \$175,000 of the goal was needed to provide a berth for the battleship on the Houston Ship Channel near the San Jacinto Monument and the battlefield where Santa Anna surrendered to Sam Houston April 21, 1836. The remaining \$50,000 will be used for the first year's maintenance. After that, it is felt, that revenue from admissions and concessions will take care of the ship's upkeep.

The financial campaign will officially begin Monday, September 15, and an appeal will go throughout the state. However, many individuals and organizations already have made contributions.

Contributions to bring the Battleship Texas home are to be mailed to—Allen H. King, Treasurer, Battleship Texas Fund, First National Bank, Houston, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tate May were visiting their son, James Tate, in Dallas during the week-end.

Mrs. Gill Walker and children of Romney spent Saturday night and Sunday with Comie Drake.

Plentiful Chickens At Reasonable Price Make Fine Eating

Chicken dinners for Hamlin and ones County folks can be on the family table more often now.

So states Miss Hannah Nabors, county home demonstration agent, who says chickens are plentiful and priced reasonably at this period of the summer.

The wholesale prices for fryers are now below the last OPA ceiling, Miss Nabors continues. In fact, wholesale price for fryers is now back to 1926 price levels. Fryers are popular on the dinner table because they are adaptable. Served hot or cold, "country fried" or French fried, the plentiful young birds fill the menu bill.

Very plump fryers weighing not over two and a half pounds are tops for broilers, and the heavier fryers, weighing around three and a half pounds, lend themselves best to roasting, braising or fricasseeing.

However, the Jones County housewife prepares them, fryers are excellent eating at this time and they are certainly a good buy.

Guilty in the End!

The prisoner was on trial for stealing ducks. His counsel addressed the jury at length, pointing out that it had not been proved conclusively that the prosecutor had lost any ducks; that the ducks found in the prisoner's cottage were not those of the prosecutor; that the prisoner had established an absolute alibi.

Just as the judge began to sum up, the prisoner interposed and asked if he might say something. As an indulgence, this was permitted. "All I want to say, gentlemen," he remarked, "is that I wish I'd never seen those birds."

Mrs. Leonard Lewis and Joy, Dean and Glen and baby of Abilene visited Comie Drake Friday afternoon.

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Sergeant	100.00	65.00	112.50
Corporal	90.00	58.50	101.25
Private First Class	80.00	52.00	90.00
Private	75.00	48.75	84.38

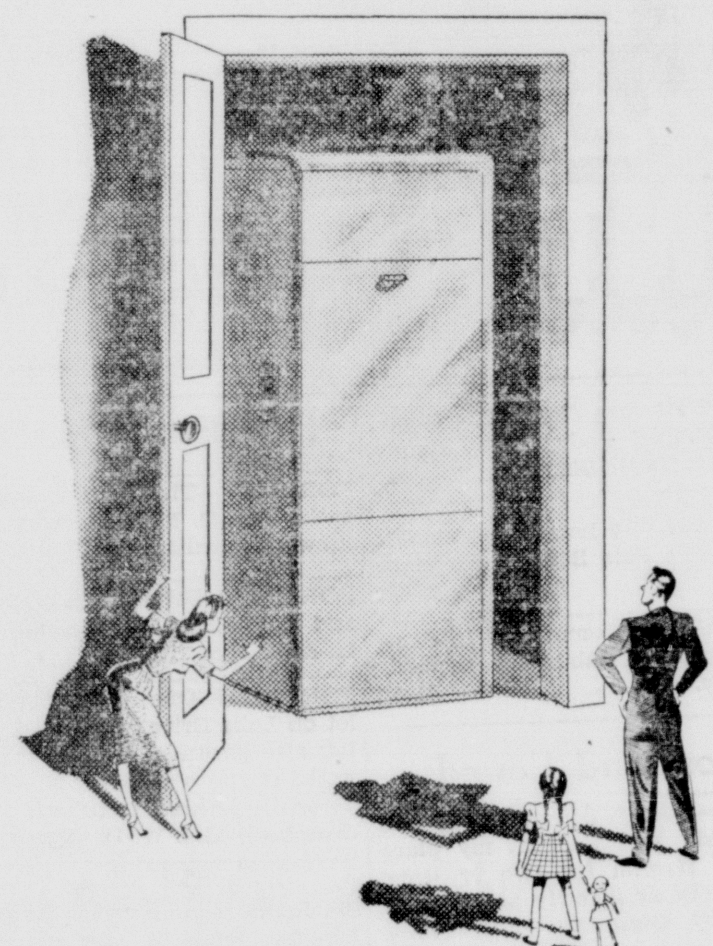
In addition to column one of the above: 20% increase for service overseas, 50% increase, if member of flying crew, 50% increase, up to \$50 maximum per month, if member of glider crew, \$50 per month for parachutists (not in flying-pay status) while engaged upon parachute duty, 5% increase in pay for each 3 years of service.

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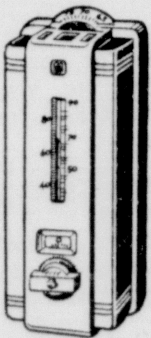
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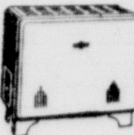
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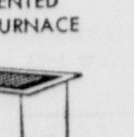
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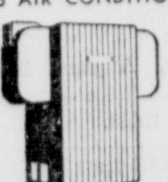


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Texas Pensions Go to More Than Any Other State

For the past 11 years now the government has doled out a meager subsistence to old folks in Jones County who cannot earn their own livelihood.

Jones County old age assistance rolls now number slightly more than 500 persons.

The government subsistence, under guise of old age assistance, was supposed to bridge the gap between the beginning, and the total effectiveness of the so-called old age and survivors' insurance features of the Social Security Law.

Theory, as local people understand it, was that the number receiving direct assistance would dwindle away. In the face of such a theory, Texas now has more pensioners on its rolls than ever before; more than any other state in the union.

If all the larger states, Texas, New York, Illinois, California and Pennsylvania had approximately the same number of pensioners, the matter would be understandable, but Texas has more than any other state. New York, for instance, has twice as many people but 75,000 fewer pensioners. California has 2,000,000 more population and 15,000 fewer on the assistance rolls, and if the present number in Texas increases the government hasn't any kind of ready answer for the problem.

Mrs. Viola Woodruff and children, Betty and Bob of Bevins spent last week-end with Comie Drake and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hubbard had as their week-end guest their granddaughters, Venita Lue and Geneva Sue Edington from Abilene.

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As all of us know, this area in good crop years needs the valuable assistance of migratory farm laborers from Mexico. Hamlin was one of the first towns in this section to provide a free Migratory Labor Camp. At the present time, the camp is badly run down and does not provide the facilities so badly needed.

Plans are being formed to build new bath rooms, sheds and other camp facilities, including a small cafe for these people. Something should be done or the area might face a drastic shortage of cotton pickers.

No one wants this to happen — both

the farmer and the businessman are vitally concerned. Businessmen improved the camp site and have kept it up in the past. They are willing to go a big share of the contemplated improvements, which would probably amount to several thousand dollars. They will appreciate the backing, financially and otherwise, of farmers throughout this area. Contributions from farmers will be gladly accepted and used in this work.

Local people are willing to accept the responsibility of the camp's operation—but will appreciate any advice or assistance from farmer friends. Let them hear from you about this!

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News Briefs From Fisher County

Two recently selected outstanding Fisher County 4-H Club girls, Oleta Ratliff of Hobbs and Marcelle Weems of Rotan have been named to attend the statewide roundup of outstanding 4-H girls at College Station on September 26. . . Rev. R. L. Hewgley of Cauty is new pastor of the Roby First Baptist Church. . . Mardell Lynch is conducting a series of meetings at the Roby Church of Christ this week. . . Eastern Star members from Hamlin and Roby were guests of Rotan lodge at the annual observance of the birthday of founder Robert Morris. . . Bangs disease tests are slated to be made on Fisher County cattle. . . Workmen have completed erection of a new 750,000 gallon water storage tank at Rotan. New pump will also be installed and the town hopes to eliminate use of gyp water. . . Rotan Lions Club committees have been appointed for coming year. . . Worth Howe has resigned as vocational agriculture teacher at Roby. . . Brick work has started this week on the Fisher County Memorial Hospital at Roby. . . The Methodist parsonage at McCaulley is being improved.

Aspermont Station Is Burglarized

Between \$200 and \$300 in courtesy tickets and \$15.60 in cash were taken from a safe belonging to Doug's Service Station in Aspermont last Thursday night. The safe, which was carried away, was later recovered with its contents missing. The theft is being investigated by the sheriff's department.



Shoes are still on the shortage list. Don't you be caught short. Bring your shoes to a for expert repair—longer life.

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G. H. Williams Dies Monday in Abilene Hospital

G. H. Williams, 57, died at an Abilene hospital Monday morning at 6:30 o'clock a. m. after a lingering illness.

Funeral services were conducted at the local Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Paul Joyner, former pastor, officiating, at 1:00 o'clock p. m. Tuesday afternoon.

Interment was in Rochester Cemetery Tuesday under the direction of Barrow Funeral Home.

He is survived by five sons, Marvin, Glen and Roy, all of Hamlin; Gerald Williams of Spur; Murrell Williams of O'Donnely and one daughter, Mrs. Hazel Adams of Spur, two brothers, Oscar Williams of Hamlin and Charles Williams of Cisco.

Has Operation.

Sue Jones, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Dan Jones, had an emergency appendectomy at a Rotan hospital last Wednesday. She is now at home here and doing nicely.

To a Temple Hospital.

Mrs. Grover Sipe was taken to a Temple hospital Monday for a major operation.

Miss Margaret LaBaume has returned home after a visit with her aunt in San Angelo.

BOOKS! BOOKS! Books! on the DOLLAR DAY sale at The Book Shop, Saturday, August 30th. 1c

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Texas; County of Jones—By virtue of an order of sale issued by order of a judgment decree of the 104th District Court of Jones County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court, on the 16th day of August A. D., 1947, in a certain suit No. 6860, wherein The State of Texas, for itself and in behalf of Jones County and for the use and benefit of Jones County Road District No. 1, a municipal corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Texas, and being a political subdivision of said county whose taxes are assessed and collected by the Tax Assessor and Collector thereof, is Plaintiff, and the City of Hamlin and the Hamlin Independent School District, both municipal corporations, are Interveners, H. L. Norris is defendant—in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of \$434.50, together with interest at six per cent per annum from April 30, 1947; in favor of the said Intervener, City of Hamlin, for the sum of \$507.10, together with interest at six per cent per annum from April 30, 1947; and in favor of the said Intervener, Hamlin Independent School District, for the sum of \$431.71, together with interest at six per cent per annum from April 30, 1947, for delinquent state and county ad valorem, city and the county taxes, together with the school district taxes together with legal and total amount of penalties, interest and costs of suit computed thereon, and the foreclosure of plaintiff's delinquent tax liens upon the property hereinafter described as the property of the defendant because of the non-payment of taxes due thereon, within the time and in the manner provided for by law, same being the amounts of said judgement rendered in favor of said plaintiff, State of Texas, for itself and in the capacity hereinafter set out, and said interveners, City of Hamlin and Hamlin Independent School District, by the said 104th District Court of Jones County, on the 30th day of April A.

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D., 1947, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Jones County, I have seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in October A. D., 1947, the same being the 7th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Jones County in the City of Anson between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a. m., and 4:00 o'clock p. m. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of said Defendant in and to the following described real estate, levied upon as the property of said defendant, the same lying and being situated in the County of Jones, and State of Texas, and within the metes and bounds and territorial limits of said City and School District, to-wit: All of Lot 7 and the North one-half of Lot 8 in Block No. 18 of the Moore Addition to the City of Hamlin, Jones County, Texas, and being the same property as described in a deed from E. R. Crosby to Etta G. Norris, dated May 27, 1913, and recorded in Volume 80, page 235, Deed Records of Jones County, Texas, to which reference is here made for all purposes, subject, however, to the rights of the defendant, his heirs, assigns, or legal representatives, to redeem said property within the time and in the manner provided for by law; subject to the further rights of the defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole and entire tract, as also

provided for by law; and in the event there are no bidders, said property will at said sale be bid off to the said State of Texas, for itself and in behalf of Jones County and for the use and benefit of Jones County Road District No. 1, a municipal corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Texas, and being a public subdivision of said county whose taxes are assessed and

collected by the Tax Assessor and Collector thereof, in trust for the Interveners, City of Hamlin and the Hamlin Independent School District, both municipal corporations.

Bill Dunwoody, Sheriff, Jones County, Texas.

By E. G. Bartlett, Deputy. Dated at Anson, Texas, this 16th day of August A. D., 1947. 42-4c

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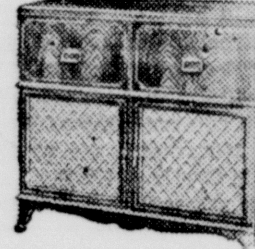
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McCaulley School Opens Monday, September 8

McCaulley School system will open for the 1947-1948 term on Monday,



September 8, Superintendent W. W. Webb announced this week. The nine teachers are now complete and all buildings are in readiness for the new term.

During the summer months the Royston district was consolidated with McCaulley and about half of Boyd Chapel, the remainder of that district being divided between Hamlin and Anson. The district now has a total of 276 scholastics enrolled, according to Webb.

The new gym and auditorium building, including two additional class rooms has been completed and will be ready for use.

A total of 22 accredited units are now listed for the high school it is said.

In addition to Superintendent Webb members of the faculty are as follows: Elementary school, Mrs. O. T. Hennington, Mrs. L. E. Rector, Mrs. Cecil Woods, Mrs. M. M. Sewell, Mrs. J. B. Jayroe; High school, Superintendent Webb, Mrs. Roy Hennington, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Short, Mr. Short being the principal of the McCaulley school this year.

Mrs. M. Y. Wilson Jr. Home from Germany

Mrs. M. Y. Wilson Jr. and three-year old daughter, Patty, are here for a month visit with her mother-in-law, Mrs. M. Y. Wilson.

The younger Mrs. Wilson has just recently returned from Europe, where she has spent one year as the secretary to the Special Service officer at Weisbaden, Germany. She went to that country in hopes that she might learn some information concerning her husband, whose plane was lost over that country during the war. She was unable to obtain any further information.

Her home is in Mobile, Alabama. Mrs. Wilson will have her family all at home this week-end when her two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wilson of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson and son, Randy, arrive for a visit.

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Texas." Our hotel for the next two nights was at Engleburg, a little village right up in the Alps. From there we took an excursion to Rigi Kulm. We drove first to Lucerne by coach, had a cruise on the lake to Vitznau, where we took a cog railway right up the mountain to the top, where we beheld one of Switzerland's finest panoramas. And whom should we meet way up there but some folks from Abilene, Texas!

On the cruise back to Lucerne we were entertained by a group of Swiss school children singing folk songs and yodels. On the way back up the mountain, we met a French woman driving a tiny European car. When she saw that there were only a few inches of clearance (she was on the outside) she lost her head and bumped into our bus. Then the bus driver had to get out and unlock the bumpers. One woman in the bus—a perpetual gripe and alarmist noticed the bus driver left the engine running. She just knew we would all be killed by gas fumes so she issued a command that all the windows be opened. It just so happened that we were in an open air bus so we could look out the top and see the mountains but we all just giggled and opened the windows to humor her. When the driver got back in the bus he expressed his thoughts about the accident with much jabbering and gestures. Our guide and interpreter turned to us and said, "He says she is a French woman and is a wash out as a driver."

That night we were entertained by Swiss yodelers, alpine horn solos, Swiss folk dances in costumes and a flag-waving artist. As it happened, we had in our party a girl from Baylor, who was United States champion flag-waver of 1940. They persuaded her to perform and she was twice as good as the Swiss fellow.

We spent two nights in Interlaken, right at the foot of the Jungfrau, second highest peak in Europe. We took an excursion by mountain railway to Scheidegg—half way up to Jungfrau. I wish I could describe to you the snowy peaks, blue lakes, emerald hills, silver waterfalls, dashing streams—everything in this delightful country, but I can't. We just hope that the pictures will be good so you can see some of what we saw.

At Montreaux, we visited the romantic Castle of Chillon, where Lord Byron wrote his famous poem, "The Prisoner of Chillon."

We spent a day in Geneva, where we saw the League of Nations building, now used by the U. N. O. Most interesting were the Reformation Monument (pictured in Life Magazine some time ago) and the churches of Calvin and Knox used during the Reformation.

We arrived in Paris last night after a nine and one-half hour train trip. These European train rides are really something. No drinking water, sometimes no water at all, coal burning engines, no air conditioning in the coaches so that means open windows. We were really a wretched and bedraggled-looking group when we got to "Gay Paree." But we wouldn't have missed these trips for anything because we have a wonderful time singing hymns and participating in patriotic songs. We talk about the folks back home, how much we appreciate our own U. S. A. The friends we have made among our party are worth the price of the tour.

We really do thank all of you who have written letters and cards. They mean so much to us.

Sincerely,
Jean Osteen.

Saturday, August 30, is the very last DOLLAR DAY at The Book Shop. New items added to the list. 1c

Local Farmers Urged to Assist In Labor Camp

Hamlin businessmen are asking the cooperation and assistance of the area cotton farmers in a matter that is vital to all citizens if cotton-picking labor problems are to be successfully solved in the future, according to an advertisement in The Herald.

Migratory farm laborers from Mexico lend valuable assistance year in and year out to area farmers in getting out their cotton crops. Hamlin businessmen were among the first in West Texas to realize the importance of this and provided a free migratory labor camp.

As stated in the advertisement, the camp is badly run down and need repairs. Plans are being made to rebuild much of the camp area and provide better facilities as at the present time they are not as they should be. The camp needs an adjacent cafe operated by these people.

Other nearby towns with the cooperation of farmers and businessmen are providing better facilities and unless Hamlin "steps out" and does takes care of the situation, a drastic labor shortage might develop. A survey of business houses discloses that economically the camp is of very little importance, as most of the money earned is sent to their homes in Mexico and South Texas by postal order. The main thing is that it is important to be kept up because it assures a return of cotton pickers year after year.

Local backers of the project are willing to put the improvement program over, but they want the help, financially and otherwise of the farmers able to do so as the project will run into several thousand dollars. In the past, local businessmen have improved and kept up the site which they own outright. It is planned to build facilities that will be capable of being used for the FFA club shows and other like farm programs.

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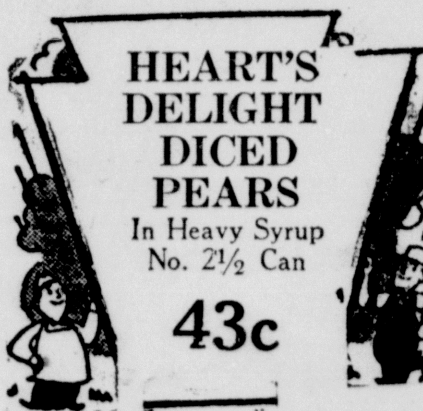
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